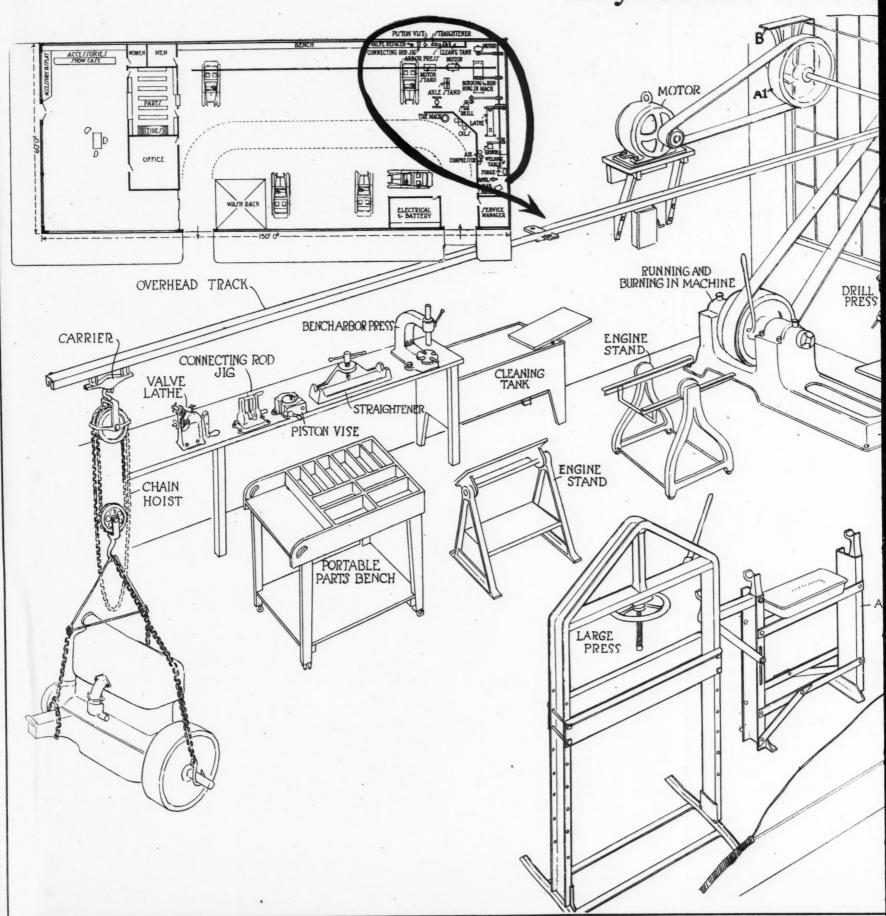
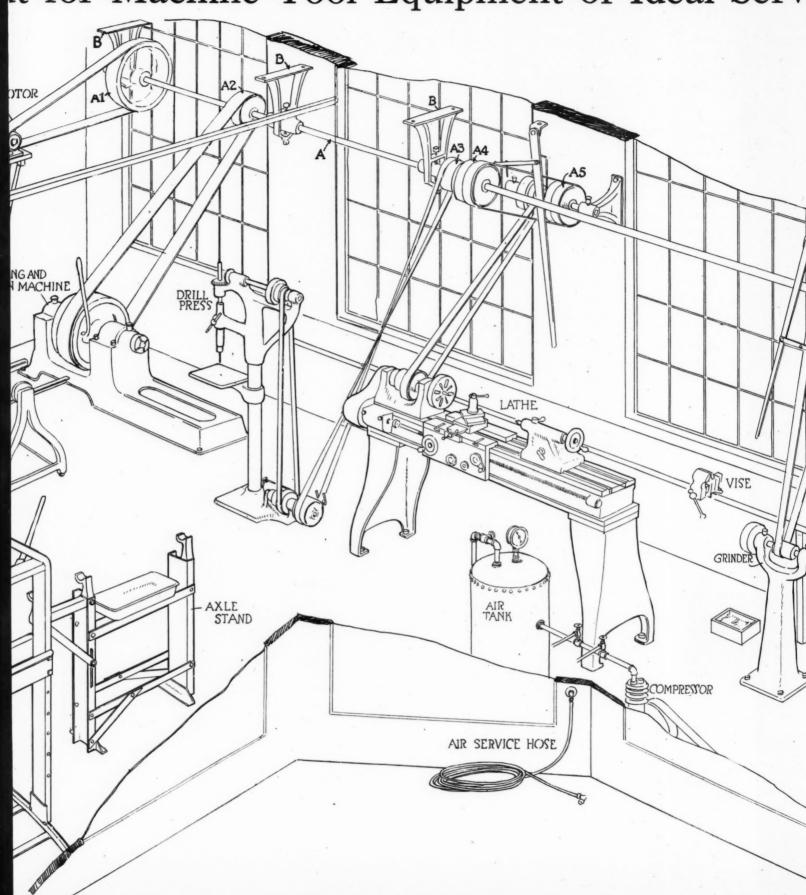
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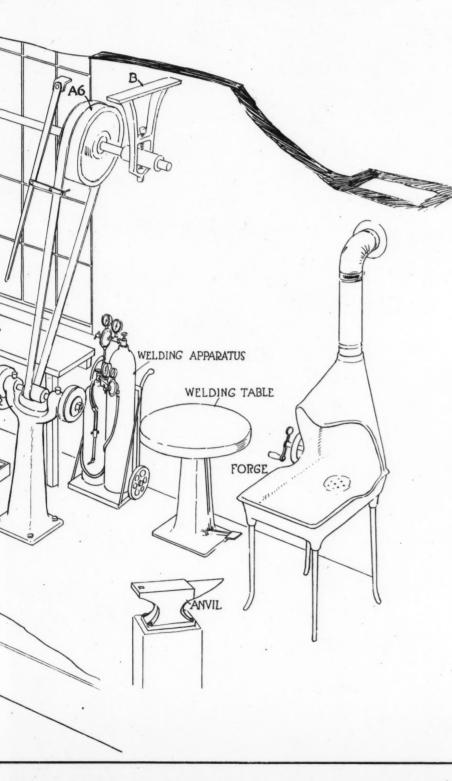


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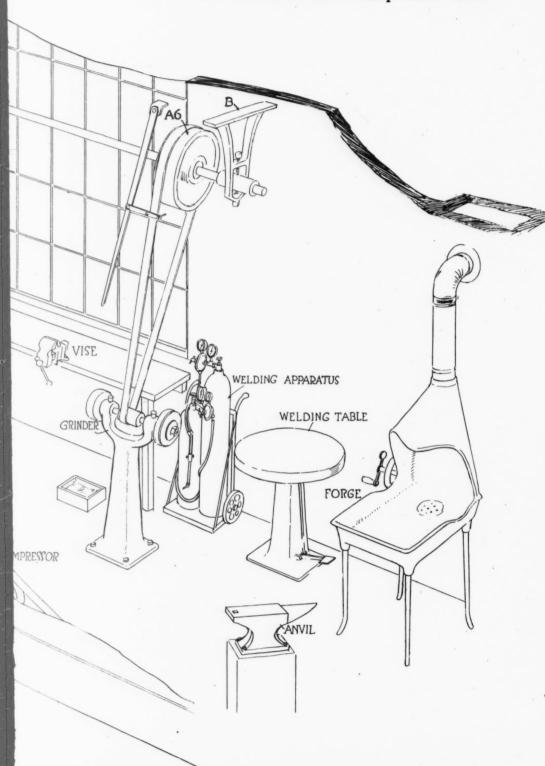
# Machine Tool and Equipment

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Lathe countershaft Included in lathe price
Burning and running-in machine with fittings
Drill press, 14-in.
Lathe, 111/4-in. swing over carriage.
Grinder
Welding table
Forge
Welding apparatus
Anvil
Air compressor outfit
Axle stand
Engine stand
Engine stand
Overhead track, 100 ft. with brackets
Overhead carrier and hoist
Valve lathe
Connecting rod jig
Piston vise
Crankshaft straightener
Bench arbor press
Cleaning tank
Large press

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# Points to Observers In Selecting the Shop Equipment

insert shows an enlarged perspective view of the shop machinery set-up as given in the small plan view which was used in describing the ideal service station for the average town in the Sept. 11 issue of age. In other issues we shall feature the electrical department of such an establishment, the routing of etc., so that the dealer about to enlarge his place or the dealer expecting to put up a new building can be a his purchases and fitting out by these articles.

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this layout we have shown the air compressor diven by an individual electric motor instead of from the t. The first cost of a 2-hp. electric motor required to drive the compressor will be a little more, but we his will be absorbed in the saving of current. Furthermore, there is the advantage of automatic start-stopping, which cannot be done when the outfit is driven off the line shaft. A service station needs comair all the time, but it is not economy to keep a 10 or 15-hp. motor going just for the air line.

# Machine Tool and Equipment

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running-in machine with fittings	85.0
14-in.	65.0
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or outfit	247.0
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traightener	34.0
press	35.0
k	40.0

# Pulley Dimensions

A-Line shaft	11/2	i
A-1	32	i
A-2	20	i
A-3	7	i
A-4	10	ù
A-5	14	i
A-6	20	i
Electric motor	8	i
Grinder pulley	4	i

# The Motor

The 10-hp. electric motor shown in the layout is designed to run at 1800 r.p.m. This will give the line shafting a speed of 400 r.p.m. With a 20-in. pulley on the shaft to drive the grinder, the latter will run at 2000 r.p.m., which is about 4000 ft. per minute surface speed for an emery wheel 7 in. in diameter.



generally, because they have tilting features, clamping arrangements, etc., to speed up the work. The engine stands usually are portable and thus can be rolled directly to the cars when there is no overhead track and carrier. The axle stands are fastened to the floor and become a permanent feature of the shop.

# Grinder Valuable

The grinder is one of the most valuable machine tools. Not only is it used for putting working edges on tools, but it comes in handy for dressing off forgings and castings by the use of rotary rasps, steel circular brushes and cloth buffing wheels. The steel brush is used to clean up rusty and rough metal parts.

If considerable grinding is to be done, a tool-post grinder for the lathe is a good investment, costing about \$60 for a machine with a wheel 3% by 5 in. With a tool-post grinder, pieces that would ordinarily be machined on the inside can be ground.

The welding outfit is best mount-

ed on a small truck so it can be moved to any spot desired, but as a general thing it will probably be left near the welding bench. The latter has a revolving head, so the work can be brought to the correct position without having to lift it off the table.

The forge is a useful piece of machinery, but one of the things the dealer can go without, as long as he has the welding outfit and a good brazing torch. However, a shop that makes or repairs fender irons, body braces or does considerable frame work will certainly include a forge in its makeup. A 100 lb. anvil will take care of most of the work.

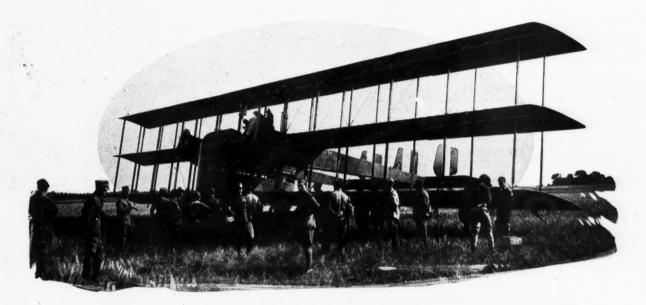
On the bench are shown five very important tools, the valve lathe, connecting rod jig, piston vise, crankshaft straightener—although this can be used for straightening work of any kind—and the small arbor press. The latter has a big brother in the shop, shown in the foreground. The big press will pry off

flywheels and do other heavy work, while the smaller press is handy for forcing bushings in and out.

In placing the machines and equipment thought has been given in regard to having the arrangement such that one machine is not in the way of the other. Thus, the lathe, for instance, has been placed so that long shafts can readily be handled without striking walls or other machines. The line shafting has been placed close to the rear wall of the building, which will eliminate to a great extent any danger of sagging of the rafters, and consequent slackening of the belts.

# Small Tool Section

The classified small tool department has been selected to meet the needs of an establishment such as here described and can hardly be cut down to a much less elaborate list. The choosing of the smaller tools and other equipment is a subject for considerable thought and will be taken up next week.



# Caproni Triplane Which Flew from Milan to Amsterdam

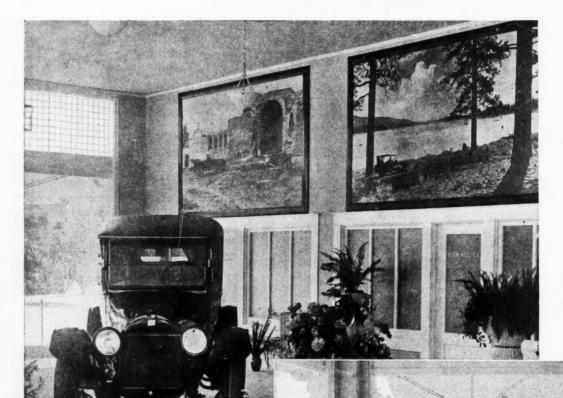
ARIS, Sept. 4—Paris received the visit ecently of the twenty-passenger oni triplane which traveled under its power from Milan, Italy, to the exion at Amsterdam. The machine over the Alps in the neighborhood on the land and landed at the old American Acceptance park at Orly, in the suburbs of Paris. From this point the machine flew to Amsterdam.

One of the ditsinctive features of the Caproni is that it is fitted with three

Liberty 400 hp. twelve-cylinder engines, two of these being tractors and the third a pusher type. The two front engines are set just below the central wings and to left and right of the passengers' cabin. The third engine is in the rear of the central fuselage and practically on the same level as the two forward engines. The entire powerplant is on the center line of the plane. The passengers' cabin, which has entrance from the front, is very comfortably fitted for fourteen per-

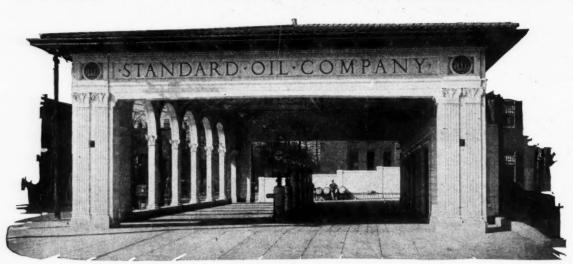
sons. Windows on each side and the full length of the cabin give a very complete view when in flight. Immediately above the main cabin is an upper deck where accommodation is found for six passengers, who are in the open air but protected by the scuttle dash.

It is understood the Caproni company has under construction at the present time a 100-passenger triplane equipped with five engines of 400 hp. each, giving a total of 2000 hp.



Art
and
Commerce
in a
Partnership

The Howard Auto Co., Los Angeles, Cal., distributer of Buick cars, believes in having its own branches. Several months ago a branch was established in Pasadena, and it proved so successful one was opened in Hollywood. The opening of the new building was made quite an occasion. Several hundred invitations were sent out. A roadster mounted on a rotating platform was an innovation that proved quite attractive. The permanent decorations on the walls are enlarged photographs of Buick cars in unusual scenic locations.



That a utilitarian object also may be a work of art is evident in this photograph of a Standard Oil gasoline filling station in Louisville, Ky. Just as our garages are becoming more sightly and handsome, so our filling stations are made beautiful

# Selling Your Service

In the mechanical inspection report the blank for the customer's order number is filled in only in case a written order with a number is the authority for the work and the date and time received are noted carefully.

The estimated date of delivery is filled in by the service salesman after consideration of the parts to be used and the length of time required to obtain them, if not in stock; the amount of shop work and any uncertainty as to delivery conditions.

**Checking Operations** 

Motor is No. 2 operation and the subdivisions of "motor," therefore, all start with the number 2. The next number following shows the part of the motor that the operation covers, for instance, 21 under "Motor" is valves and timing gears, and the next number shows the divisions of valves and timing gears that the operation covers, for example, 213 means "renew one motor valve spring." This method is carried out through the entire eight principal divisions of the car.

Common sense and good judgment are vitally important to a service salesman in not going too far and reporting repairs unnecessarily.

When the inspector receives the mechanical inspection report he checks it over carefully to make sure he understands the service salesman's instructions and then proceeds to fill out the remainder of the form.

The entries at the head of the mechanical inspection report, headed "Gasoline Pressure," "Oil Pressure" and "Ammeter Charge" are filled in first as a matter of record, because they have an important bearing on the operation and condition of the car.

# Standardized Operations

Standardized operations are the unit of work the service department has to sell in the repairshop. The repairs possible on Packard cars have been divided by the company into eight sections, each with its own subdivisions, all being listed on the mechanical inspection report and each having a separate operation number,

which keys it and makes unnecessary the writing out in full of any type of repair.

There are some 700 operations and approximately 100 combinations of operations.

The operation numbers that are most frequently used being printed on the mechanical inspection report form, a check is placed before each item desigBy K. Herrick

This is the second of a series by Mr. Herrick describing the successful service sales manship methods employed by the Packard Motor Car Co. of Philadelphia. The third installment will appear in next week's issue of Motor Age.



Cliff G. Culver, general service manager of the Packard Motor Car Co. of Philadelphia

nating an operation to be made on the customer's car. The car carefully is gone over by the inspector and each item requiring an operation, whether mentioned in the instructions or not, is checked by the inspector. This report then is returned to the service salesman, who immediately lists the operations requiring attention and from his flat price book,

about which more will be said later, figures out the price of each of the different operations. The service salesman then gets in touch with the owner of the car and explains to him the repairs required on it as shown by the inspector. The service salesman at this time is able to tell the customer exactly what each job will cost him. If the order is received, the order is billed at this figure, allowing no chance for complaint as to final bill for repairs.

## The Operation Card

If the order is received, the order taker writes up the customer's order on the repair order form, showing the operation number of each one of the different repairs necessary and the price of each one of these operations. The time for each operation and the material used on each operation are listed on the operation card, or flat rate card, which, as in the case of the repair order and the mechanical inspection report, has the operation number at the top, on the right side.

This operation card shows how the flat rate quoted for any operation is arrived at and informs the office whether a job costs too much. The flat prices are combined in a flat price book on a buff flat rate sheet for trucks and a similar white sheet for cars, both sheets being in looseleaf form. Each sheet shows one operation and the price of doing it on the various models of coaches or trucks. These sheets are combined in the flat price book in operation number sequence. The flat rate book is indexed, the indexing being divided into the eight principal divisions of the car as shown on the mechanical inspection report and again subdivided into the principal parts of each one of those divisions, so the particular operation number wanted is easy to find in the

# Analysis of Repair Operations

On another white card form, printed vertically and known as the analysis of repair operations, is shown such analysis on all jobs as have gone through the

shop, that is, every order on which work has been done in the shop is analyzed after it has been completed and the exact amount of material and the exact number of hours conosumed in the operation are listed on this card.

When a sufficient number of these jobs has been entered on the cards, an av-

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Analysis of repair operations, also known as experience card

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The flat rate sheet is white for the motor car division and Working sheet of new and revised flat prices with tag attached by checker in garage

erage is struck off and compared with the time, material and price fixed in the flat price standard at that time.

This is done so that in case the company is running over or under its flat price, it will be able to tell whether its flat price is correct. If the variation is too great, the price is changed. This analysis of repair operations form, also known as the experience card, serves the additional purpose of keeping the service manager and others interested as to just what parts of cars or trucks are causing the most trouble through needing the most frequent repairs.

Prices and estimates of repair jobs at this service station and office are based on figures taken from hundreds of similar operations which have gone through the shop and which have been computed by the cost department. If at any time the cost department finds improved methods whose adoption has decreased the cost of operation have been used, revision downward in price is made so the customer immediately gets the benefit, the decrease in cost on the operation being called to the attention of the service department.

### Analysis of Labor

On the labor analysis sheet, as shown on the reverse side of the pink copy of

the repair order going to the labor analysis division, as previously mentioned, operations which have been ordered are listed, this information permitting the labor analysis clerk to know when a workman comes to his department at the window to report his time whether the work which he has reported as having done actually has been ordered on this job. If the work has not been ordered, this clerk immediately gets in touch with the shop superintendent, who investigates to find out why such work has been done without an order.

### Analysis of Material

A set of the operation\_cards, already mentioned, is kept by the labor and material analysis clerks, showing the number of hours allowed under each operation. This time is posted in the space provided on the labor analysis sheet.

As the time is reported by the mechanics it is entered directly under this heading and should the time, as reported, closely approach the hours, or exceed them, the facts immediately are reported to the shop superintendent, who investigates the work being done on the job. It gives him an opportunity to find out whether the men are doing the work as rapidly as they should.

In a similar manner the requirements of the material analysis sheet, as found on the reverse side of the brown repair order copy, destined for the material analysis division, are filled. The material clerk knows from the operation card what material is to be used on the various operations ordered, and if material is ordered for this job which is not included in the work as appearing in the order, before authorizing the requisition he gets in touch with the shop superintendent, who immediately investigates to find out why the material in question is being ordered. Thus the company has a very accurate check on both the labor and material being expended on all jobs in the shop.

# The Working Sheet

What is known as the working sheet, headed "New and Revised Flat Prices," is kept in the cost department. This is a buff form, the same size as the flat rate sheet placed in the flat rate book. It shows operation name, and an operation number is assigned and placed, as usual, at the top on the right side. Hours consumed and cost are itemized for shop labor, test labor and supervision, with space for total labor. The entry for material, with spaces for quantity, piece number, cost price and list price, represents the particular material, of course, used on that job. A maximum is established, but not a minimum. No more material then will be O. K.'d by the cost department. A separate file is kept for these sheets, and there are five sets for four departments, as the cost department keeps two sets.

Operators' time must be within the time as allotted on the form.

After the five sets have been written up, enough flat rate sheets are prepared so every salesman has a copy.

The only form in the group of forms used by the cost department that is handled more than once is the working sheet. It is made up first and then handled again to transfer its data to the flat rate card.

When a work sheet has been filled out and is ready to file, before it is put away in the cost department drawer receptacle, all old sheets inclosed in their envelope in that particular space are removed, so the file never becomes choked with dead wood.

Another careful method in the cost department, in this connection, is to see each flat rate book has the proper sheets.

of which all service salesmen's sheets are duplicates.

### Requisitions on Stock

When a requisition is used in connection with a repair order, it is made out by a shop office clerk at the request of a foreman or workman. The form is made out in triplicate, and each bears a continuous serial number, that is, there is no such thing as a second copy of a requisition. The quantity wanted, piece number and name must be given at the time it is made out, but the cost and selling price are not noted at this time. The original usually is receipted for by a stock runner, of which there are three or four on each of the shop floors. The requisition then is taken to the stock department and is the stock clerk's receipt for the supply wanted. The duplicate is retained by the cost department until the return of the original, when it is filed, and the triplicate is held by the material clerk in the shop as his receipt, showing the foreman or mechanic on the job used the material.

If the desired material or part is not on hand, the stock runner or workman is so advised and he in turn must notify the shop office clerk and foremap. If a road test is made of a car brought in by a customer, the service salesman may accompany the inspector or discuss the car with the customer, with whom it is a good time to become better acquainted and to learn whether repairs other than those mentioned at the outset would be considered, whether accessories could be sold to him, if the welcoming floorman had not already found that out, and whether any of his friends are in the market for cars, favorable information being at once forwarded to the sales department.

When the mechanical inspection report covering the recommended work, in accordance with the instructions, has been completed, it is submitted to the service salesman, and on receipt of the customer's verbal authority, after the flat rate has been told to him, the detailed order is written up in the sales service correspondence office file and the customer signs the order for the flat rate, receiving a copy of it.

If a general overhaul is required and the customer cannot wait for details and a flat rate on them, a report is written up as accurately as possible from the customer's instructions and he is inter-

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Headlight Props and Rod	Bonnet-Cover
Dash Lamps (2)	Radiator Cover
Dash Lamp Bulbs and Tubing	Radiator Motometer Twin 6
Dash Lamp Props (2)	Running Boards and Mud Guards
Search Light	Touring Tranks
Search Light Bulb	Battery Box
Mirrorscope	Battery Box Lock
Tool Box	Starting Battery
Tool Box Lock	Ignition Battery
Presto-Tank and Piping	Dry Cells
Presto-Tank Cover	Reserve Oil Can
Floor Boards-Front Set	Tire Holders and Straps
Coil Box and Units	Baggage Rack
Gauge Glasses, Shield and Bulb	Baggage Rack Straps
Windshield	Hub Caps, Rear (2)
Windshield Rods	License Plate, Rear-No
Special Horn—ElectricBlow	State
Horn, Screen, Tube and Bulb Blow	License Bracket, Rear
Clock and Case—Make	Shock Absorber, Rear (2)-Make
Condition	Gasoline Tank
Clock Bulb and Shield	Fenders, Rear (2)
Speedometer Head—Make	Dress Guards (2)
Condition	Tail Lamp
Speedometer Bulb and Shield	Tail Lamp Bulb and Tubing
Speedometer—Total Mileage	Tail Lamp Prop
Speedometer Shaft, Gears and Bracket	License Light, Bulb and Tubing
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Magneto Cover	Wood
Crank Handle Strap and Socket	WireExtra
Crank Shaft End Cap	
Front Bumper	Extra ShoesMake
Fenders, Front (2)	Condition
	Size
Hub Caps, Front (2)	Extra Rims
Steering Connecting Rod Covers (2)	Extra Tire Covers
Steering Cross Rod Covers (2)	Extra Inner Tubes
License Plate, Front—No	Tire Drum Tire Lock
	Tires on Wheels-Condition-Front
License Bracket, Front	Rear
Rubber Bumpers (2) and Straps (4) Shock Absorbers, Front (2)	Size-Front

TOOLS	Extra Seats
	Floor Boards—Rear Set
Open End W	Foot Rest
Monkey	Mat
Spanner	Carpet
Spark Plug	
Hub Cap	Rubber
Carb. Socket	Robe Rail
Magneto	Seat Covers
Socket	Enclosed Body Windows
Body Lock Key	Arm Rest Strap
Presto Tank Key	Buzzer and Cover
Squirt Gun	Cigar Lighter
Screw Drivers	Coat Hook
Pilers	Curtains-Inside (7)
Hammer	Sliding (2)
Jack	Storm (4)
Jack Handle	Laudalet Envelope
	Roof Cover
Pire Tools	Straps Holding Curtains
Tire Repair Kit	Dome Light, Bulb and Shade
Tire Pump	Flower Vase
Rim Wrench	Front Glass
Wheel Puller	Grab Cords
Large Grease Cup	Hat Holder and Parcel Net
Can Grease	Speaking Tube and Horn
Trouble Lamp	Telephone
Spark Pluge	-Watch-Make
Tire Hose and Gauge	Condition
Tire Chains	Tollet Cases (2)
Extra Bulbs & Fuses in case	Scent Bottles (2)
Hydrometer	Pad and Cover
Crank Handle	Card Case
Keys	Pencil
	Mirror
	- Brushes
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Body Damaged	Match Box Holder
Top—Condition	Ash Receiver
Top—Folded	Umbrella Cups
Top Envelope	Umbrella Holders
Top Curtains (10)	Robes
	Coats
Top Curtain Lights	Hats
Top Division Curtain	Vells
Top Valance	Goggles
Top Bow Holders	Gloves
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A white sheet is used for the flat rate card of the motor car division and a buff card for the truck section. The entries on each are shown here

viewed later or advised by letter of the additional work to be done and new authority from him is obtained in writing.

#### Checking Owner's Equipment

When a car has been accepted for repair and before it is sent to the shop from the rear of the service sales department, a clerk fills out and checks off on a special equipment check, a manila form, the various units of the equipment on the customer's car.

This enumerates all that comes on the car, including tools. The customer may have a duplicate of the checked card if he desires, but this rarely is asked. As soon as the equipment is checked it is removed from the car and placed in a numbered bin, behind the caged office counter of the garage. When the customer's car has been repaired, and he sends or calls for it, he signs the equipment check under the legend "Received car and contents complete and satisfactory."

## Check In and Check Out

Another and larger manila form is the record of cars, also known as the check in and check out card. As the owner's car is brought into the garage this form is filled out at the garage door and is turned in to the office at the end of every day. On it must be recorded the owner's name, driver's name, time it came in, license number and there may be added any remarks deemed necessary. When the car is taken out the space under the heading "Time Out" is filled in with the hour it left.

When the customer's car has been checked at the door as having entered and has been accepted for repair and all equipment checked off and deposited in the numbered bin, the mechanical inspection report, with its units of repair checked off, is placed in a pantasote case, or envelope, having a transparent face, and hung on the car.

Then a small white tag, reading "This Car Has Been Checked" and bearing the name of the checker, the repair order number and the name of the car owner, is attached to the front of the car as its passport to the shop. The car cannot be sent upstairs to the shop without it.

As soon as this tag has been attached a car mover is assigned to the job of seeing that the vehicle is placed safely on the big elevator leading to the shop—the seventh floor in the case of a car and the eighth in the case of a truck. The same mover handles this car when it returns.

#### Route Clerk's Duties

Of great assistance to the service salesman is a route clerk, whose duty it is to keep him supplied with all necessary information concerning the progress on the car. This clerk follows up the job closely from the time the car enters the repairshop, working in conjunction with the employees in the mechanical and coach departments. This clerk relieves the service salesman of much detail, permitting him to concentrate on selling

service instead of making a bookkeeper out of himself.

The route clerk, having obtained the first information about a customer's car from the order taker, makes the proper entries on two sets of cards fitting a tickler kept on the clerk's desk. Cards relating to cars that have been finished are kept in the back part of the tickler file, with the cards relating to cars. still in work, in the front. Record of tests. painting and coach work also are entered on the cards in addition to the mechanical work being done. Every morning fresh information on each car in work is obtained and recorded, and the promises for delivery are entered on the reverse side. Whenever a customer desires information about his car, the service salesman thus is able to give every detail, including promise for delivery date, from the route clerk.

## Repair Order Register

The repair order register sheet is a white form so filled out as to furnish the information at all times where a repair order is. There is a series for customers' cars and trucks, company cars and service cars.

Repair order numbers are registered on this sheet with a numbering machine, all other entries being made in ink. There are checking spaces for filling in when all orders have been received and, when all orders have been registered, billed in the billing column. C. O. D. orders are designated by the entry "C. O. D." in the

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Card used by route clerk to keep tab on progress of owner's car through the shop

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Repair order register used by the Packard Motor Car Co. of Philadelphia

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All cars are checked in or out as they enter or leave

memorandum column, and approximate orders are designated "Approx." in the memorandum column. Instructions are

to indicate in the memorandum column whether an order is voided or "No Cost;" to register in the "billed" column the

date the entry is made and to forward to the approval clerk to be passed on before filing.

The car invoice clerk receives a record of repair orders on all sales orders, used cars and used trucks. For sales orders on cars, repair order number and sales order number are given; on trucks, similar entries, but in the case of used cars and used trucks, repair order and name.

The credit department receives a record of all accidents, repair order number, name and model being stated.

A confirmation is an exact copy of the repair order kept in the office and, as already mentioned, is sent to the customer.

# NEW ORLEANS GETS NEW CAR PLANT

New Orleans, La., Sept. 26—Work has been started on the construction of the new plant of the Rex Motor Car Mfg. Co. which is to manufacture the Rex car. Robert Booth, the English inventor of the Booth sectional export body and a car designer of considerable note, is president and general manager. Other officers are H. C. Maynard, president of the Sinclair Motor Co. and designer of the Sinclair engine, A. C. Sinclair and John Studebaker Lucas.

The company's plans call for a car built of standard parts, with the exception of the Rex-Sinclair six-cylinder engine which is to be manufactured by the Sinclair Motor Co. here. The company expects to be in production by next February.

#### WATSON TRUCKS SOON READY

Canastota, N. Y., Sept. 26—Plans for a new line of trucks to be made by the Watson Products Corp., which were made more than a year ago, are completed and the new models will be put on the market within the next few months. Manufacture of these trucks was postponed because of the war.

Exact features and specifications have not yet been given out, but it is understood the plans call for \(\frac{4}{2}\)-ton, 1\(\frac{1}{2}\)-ton, 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)-ton and 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)-ton models.

The Watson Products Corp. is the new name of the Watson Wagon Co., which started business thirty-one years ago making heavy hauling wagons.

The name was changed July 1 to the Watson Products Corp. and the capital increased from \$600,000 to \$1,000,000. The company has bought several concerns in its neighborhood to increase its factory facilities preparatory to building trucks.

# NEW WHEEL FACTORY STARTED

Alma, Mich., Sept. 26—The Northern Wheel Co. has let the contract for the first unit of its \$1,000,000 factory, and work will start immediately. The plant is expected to be in operation Dec. 1. It will be constructed of brick and concrete and will be 80 by 304 ft. The officers of the new company are: President, A. D. Smith; vice-president, J. W. Blakley; secretary, Orville Allen; treasurer, E. L. Smith.



# EDITORIAL



# What Strikes May Mean to You

FEW of us need to be told that the steel strike may seriously curtail the number of new cars on which delivery has been expected. Most dealers realize also that a long-drawn-out tie-up of the steel plants may mean a shortage in repair parts for some time to come. If complete closure of the steel industry is effected, the stocks of new cars and parts for spring business which normally should be accumulated during the winter may be lower next spring than they were last season—if such a thing is possible.

BUT the steel strike is only an indication of more widespread labor unrest which threatens to disorganize other industries that are just as important to the automotive trade. If, as seems not at all unlikely, the coal miners decide to strike to enforce their demands for a thirty-hour week, where will the coal come from to fire the engines

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that pull the trains that bring your cars from the factories?

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If the coal operators compromise and increase their forces to make up for the shorter hours and grant the higher pay, the railroads will have to pay \$300,000,000 more a year for the coal they use. This will increase the already high freight rate on vehicles and their parts. If the agitation for nationalization of the railroads according to the Plumb plan results in a walkout of the rail men, driveaways will not help much—because there will not be much to drive away.

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THIS labor unrest is spreading into all industries. Might it not creep into your service and repairshops? What are you doing to prevent it?

# Car Thievery a Dealer's Problem

MORE than most of them realize, perhaps, the motor car theft problem is the dealer's problem. It is his problem even more than it is the owner's problem and far more than the manufacturer's. For very car theft is a direct blow at the dealer's business; it is a blow at his means of making a livelihood. If the motor car dealer's business is to continue a prosperous one, the motor car thief must be driven out of business, or at least his profession must be made as dangerous for him as any other form of crime.

EVERY car stolen means an owner who is not getting the service to which he entitled himself when he purchased the car. He either has lost his car outright or he has lost the use of that car for an indeterminate period. The dealer may not think it is his fault that this is so, but unless he makes a real effort to eliminate the conditions which make

motor car stealing easy, he is to blame. And a dissatisfied owner, whether he is your customer or someone else's, is bad for the motor car business—bad for your business.

AND every stolen car sold in your territory is a sale taken away from you. Have you ever considered that? Have you ever considered that persons who buy stolen cars should be buying cars from you instead?

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CONCERTED, organized work should be done by the dealers to see that motor car theft is wiped out. You can eliminate most of the evil if you will take the issue up with your legislature and with your manufacturer, for these two bodies working together with you as the liaison can stamp out the theft evil.

# Equipping the Repair Shop

Like the assembly and job-routing methods of our larger motor car factories, the well-conducted and equipped service station repairshop has its job routing directed along pretty well defined lines, made possible by the correct selection and disposition of the necessary machinery equipment.

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BUYING the right kind of tools and machinery and adapting it to the peculiar requirements of a shop for proper co-ordination and inter-relation of the units, minimum interference, rock-bottom installation expense, with the faculties to tackle every job that comes in, are the chief thoughts and problems to consider in fitting out a motor car repairshop for the dealer or service man in the average town of average requirements.

Buying the right kind of equipment means the dealer must analyze his territory, if already established, or if he is just getting started, the potential possibilities thereof. In other words, he must size up his present situation or his hopes for the future and then act accordingly in selecting and using his equipment. There are useful machines, to be sure, but if these are to be used but a few times a year, the investment is a poor one. Some shops are overloaded with machines; others are minus real labor-saving apparatus, or, have the wrong kind.

NATURALLY the room at the disposal of the dealer for his hop will be a dominating factor in buying and placing machinery, but where a new shop is being planned, the right installation easily can be had by logical procedure.

# Branch for Rolls-Royce

Famous English Motor Car Company Will Build In the United States

\$7,000,000 American Capital Backs the Enterprise

New YORK, Sept. 30—An American branch of the British Rolls-Royce motor car company which will build the famous English car virtually in its entirety is to be established in the United States. Announcement was made last week that the branch here had been capitalized at \$7,000,000 and will be financed entirely by American capital through Aldred & Co., New York bankers. Under present war acts, British capital cannot be transfered to other companies for industrial purposes.

The American company will manufacture a chassis virtually identical with that made in England. The Rolls-Royce aero engine, parts of which were built in America during the war, also will be constructed at the new factory, the location for which has not been announced.

The financial plan, in itself partly incomplete as yet, was the only detail announced. It was said that the stock would be offered in about two weeks, despite fact that some of the organization plans had not been perfected. The name of the new corporation probably will be Rolls-Royce of America, Inc., and at least some of the company personnel would be English.

# Plans Long in Maturing

Announcement of the plan preceded by a few hours the departure of Claude Johnson, directing manager of the English company, for Liverpool. Johnson, who spent several weeks in America earlier this summer, returned here last week and has been in daily conference with financial and manufacturing men.

Location of the proposed plant and the production plans could not be ascertained from the local branch of Rolls-Royce, Ltd. Maurice M. Olley, the company engineer here, said that it would not be determined for at least two weeks whether the American company would purchase or build a factory in this country. Several plants used in munitions making during the war have been under consideration and it has been intimated that the factory would be located somewhere in the New England states.

The announcement of the bankers was to the effect that the American company would "have all the advantages of the Rolls-Royce design and knowledge" and the chassis and engines made in this country would be of the "same standards" as those made in Great Britain. The announcement also set forth that the plant was made necessary by the American demand for Rolls-Royce cars which cannot be met from England, as the plants there have booked orders which will occupy them for more than a year.

The price of the chassis is set at \$10,000 and the company is said to have branches at New York, London, Paris, Madrid and Bombay.

# DEALERS TO USE PROPAGANDA

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30—A campaign of general advertising is planned by the St. Liuis Storage Battery Trade association to convince car owners that their storage batteries should be sent only to firms skilled in such work. The St. Louis association is composed of thirty-one of the largest battery firms in the city and the advertising is to be in the nature of propaganda work. It is noted in the advertising, however, that only firms skilled in this work are admitted to membership in the organization.

## SHOW SPACE IS ALL TAKEN

Chicago, Sept. 30—All space for the annual exposition of the Automotive Equipment Association, which opens Nov. 3 in Medinah Temple, has been taken and the financial success of the venture has been assured. Applications for space are still being received by officials but cannot be filled. Space has been opened on the stage of the building to take care of some of the earlier of the late applicants but this also has been exhausted.

Work on the decoration of the hall soon will be started. The Congress hotel has been selected headquarters for the convention, which is to be a feature of the exposition.

# NAME NEW WILLYS OFFICIALS

New York, Sept. 29—Announcement of the directorate of the new Willys Corp., made here last week, shows that J. N. Willys, the president, with his interests and holdings, has joined with the American Can Co. and Swift & Co. in the promotion of the new company. One representative of the packers and three officials of the can company are named on the board, in addition to Willys and to J. V. Hall, the general manager of the Duesenberg Motors Corp., one of the subsidiary companies of the new corporation.

The remaining directors are Edward F. Swift, president of Swift & Co., and F. S. Wheeler, president, J. R. Harbeck, vice-president, and Charles Stellberg, chairman of the manufacturing committee and director of the American Can Co. Harbeck is named vice-president and general manager of the Willys company.

# SHEPARD NOT TIRE FIRM HEAD

New York, Sept. 30—The recent notice from East Orange, N. J., telling of the death of F. M. Shepard stated incorrectly that he was president of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., of Akron, O. Mr. Shepard was president of the Goodyear Rubber Co., of 787 Broadway, this city, a concern manufacturing rubber products, and is not connected with the Akron corporation.

# Protest Truck Show Site

New York Dealers Want Exhibit Located Nearer Passenger Car Building

Will Meet N. A. C. C. Officials For Change This Week

NEW YORK, September 28-Motor truck dealers of New York city are much opposed to selection of the Eighth Coast Artillery Armory for the motor truck show to be held January 3 to 10, at the same time as the passenger car show in the Grand Central Palace. The New York dealers desire to get as much actual busines as possible out of the show and do not believe that the show visitors can be drawn that far up town. The Lexington avenue subway runs by Grand Central Palace and there are stations at the Palace and at the Armory, but it takes from thirty to forty minutes to ride fro mthe passenger car to the truck show.

## Truck Dealers Hold Meeting

In order to secure a little light on the situation, a meeting of the truck dealers called by the Motor Truck club was held at the Automobile Club of America last night and Alfred Reeves, general manager of the N. A. C. C. discussed the question with the dealers. They were unanimous in the opinion that it would be better to hold truck show in Madison Square Garden or in the 23rd Regiment Armory where the dealers held it last winter than to hold it so far up town.

There is nearly twice as much space in the uptown armory as would be available in the downtown location, but the dealers said they would rather have less space and a greater possibility of drawing people to the exhibit. Some comment was made as to the desirability of the shows being held by the dealers as they were last winter, but Reeves stated there was a demand for the shows being held by the N.A.C.C. and that he considered it best that this be done.

# Hold Meeting This Week

Finally it was decided that it would be best for a committee representing the truck dealers to get together with the truck show committee of the N.A.C.C. and discuss the possibility of holding the show downtown rather than uptown. Reeves stated that while a contract had been signed for the uptown armory, he believed it would be possible to dispense with this location if it were found desirable. A meeting of the committee of the dealers and the N.A.C.C. will be held this week. The committee representing the dealers consists of A. C. Bergman, Standard Parts Co.; Harry R. Stokes, Packard Truck; O. E. Stowell, G. M. C. Truck; E. C. Hermann, Stewart Truck, and N H. Moore, chairman of the Motor Truck Association of America.

# Ottowa Dealers Organize for Shows

# Plan To Hold Second Canadian National Exposition This Year

O TTAWA, ONTARIO, Sept. 27—Formation of a motor trade association in Ottawa to handle a proposed motor show some time in February is being planned. The tremendous success of the motor car exhibit of the Central Canada Exposition just closed was the cause leading to the formation of the body. The Ottawa trade is now more than ever inclined to undertake an exclusively motor show.

One thing which has emphasized the importance of the show of the Exhibition was the appearance of a considerable number of factory officials at the exhibits. Representatives of the Dodge, Overland, Oldsmobile, Chevrolet, Dort, McLaughlin, Briscoe, Maxwell, Ford and other companies were on the scene.

### Will Be Held in February

The best dates for the proposed Ottawa motor show would be from Feb. 21-28. The reason for the suggestion of this period is that it would immediately follow the Montreal motor show, which is held on the heels of the national shows, in New York Jan. 3-10 and in Chicago Jan. 24-31. The Montreal exhibition will take place in February, so special exhibits can be shipped from Chicago to Montreal. The Ottawa display probably will be held immediately afterward so these displays could be shipped direct from Montreal to Ottawa and thence to some other city. Detroit probably will have an exposition in the early spring and, in fact, all important cities in Canada and the United States will be having their motor displays again next win-

## To Use Government Building

The use of a government building has been suggested for the Ottawa motor show, and this may be secured if the local dealers go after it in good time.

The motor car show of the Central Canada Exhibition was the most successful ever held by the trade of the capital, according to statements by various dealers at the exhibition. More than 300,000 paid admissions were registered.

The consensus was the exhibition has been the most successful from a business standpoint ever supported by local retailers. Considerable orders for new cars were booked during the week. Many sales were made right on the grounds, one dealer reporting that he had sold three cars from his exhibit on the first day of the show. The names of many prospects also have been secured by the exhibitors.

# TRI-STATE SHOW IS SUCCESS

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 30—Large crowds attended the mootr car exhibits of the Tri-State fair here last week. Many notable people, including the governors of several of the southern states

are here. The bulletin news service early Friday that President Wilson had canceled his engagement in Memphis was a source of disappointment to many who hoped to see and hear him here Saturday night.

Both automobiles, trucks and tractors share attentio nat the fair. If more space had been available twice as many cars would have been shown, but the exhibit was immense and the arrangement attractive.

# MONTREAL TO RESUME ITS SHOW

Montreal, Que., Sept. 30—Announcement is made that the annual Montreal motor show will again be held under the

Da moines, 10WA, Sept. 30— A novel method of advertising itself and its business has been adopted by the Dunlap Motor Co., distributer of the Fordson tractor.

A contest has been arranged for Sept. 5-Nov. 8 between farmers of Boone and Story counties with prizes of 25 gal. of tractor cylinder oil for the best ten ears of corn grown; 15 gal. for the second best ten and 10 gal. for the third best. Agricultural experts from Iowa State College will act as judges.

To call further attention of the farmers to their business, in the advertising of the contest, all reference to the prizes calls attention to the fact that "this is the grade used in the Fordson tractor."

auspices of the Montreal Automobile Trade association, Ltd., early next year. There was no show this year on account of the war. The active secretary of the association, Adelstan Levesque, states that virtually all the Canadian and American automobile manufacturers will be represented, as they have already inquired about exhibiting space and that inquiries had also been received from European firms anxious to secure space. The date and location of the show will be announced later.

# BRISTOL PLANE COMES TO AMERICA

New York, Sept. 27—The British and Colonial Aeroplane Co., Ltd., has opened offices here and will introduce the Bristol airplane into America. W. G. Ranels is in charge as business director of the American interests. The company, which has British army contracts until next March and which also has a considerable commercial production, plans to establish a system of distribu-

tion here similar to that operated by the motor car industry. It will operate through distributers, with district managers and salesmen, in much the same way that automotive companies handle their product.

Mr. C. Ranels states that the method of development will be conservative and that the company desires to build on a firm foundation.

# NEW TRACTOR FIRM IS STARTED

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30—The Kardell Tractor & Truck Co., a \$1,000,000 Delaware corporation, has begun the manufacture of farm tractors in St. Louis, occupying the plant formerly owned by the Whitman Agricultural Co., which has 175,000 ft. of floor space.

All parts are made in the plant except the engine and wheels. The engine is being manufactured by the Wisconsin Motor Co. of Milwaukee, and the wheels are of French and Hecht make.

H. W. Kardell is president; J. C. Cardell, vice-president; W. F. Fahey, treasurer; H. F. Fahrenkrog, secretary.

# KENTUCKY HAS TRUCK LINE

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 27.—The Union Transportation Line, with a capital stock of \$100,000, was organized last week by several Louisville business men interested in providing reliable and convenient means of freight transportation from Louisville to Kentucky and Indiana points within a radius of 100 miles. H. A. Kampmueller, general manager of the new concern, states that the company plans to erect a modern two-story truck line depot and several downtown sites are now under consideration.

The new line has made an exhaustive study of the roadway conditions within the 100-mile radius of Louisville, taking in Lexington, Elizabethtown, Hodgensville, Lebanon, Harrodsburg, Lancaster, Nicholasville, Georgetown, Shelbyville, New Castle and all intermediate points in Kentucky and Corydon, Paoli, Bedford, Seymour and Madison, in Indiana. The company plans at this time to establish truck lines to cover this territory as rapidly as they can be put into operation.

The company's freight depot will centralize the company's business and operation and will contain many features worked out and now practiced by several successful truck lines. The depot will contain a restroom for women, provided with lockers.

There also will be a business room for men at which daily market reports will be on file, with telephone and other facilities. Garage space will be provided in the building for out-of-town customers and every assistance given them in the sale of their products and the purchase of supplies. The plans for the depot provide for sufficient wareroom spaces for the sixty-one independent truck operators now running in and out of Louisville and Louisville shippers may deliver their merchandise at the station, where it will be allotted its proper space to catch the first truck to

#### its destination. No charge will be made the farmer for business room and restroom privileges, and it is the intention to make the Union Line depot a meeting place for the men and women of the rural districts to transact their business

in Louisville.

The line will afford the farmer a prompt and efficient means for the transportation of farm products to Louisville and the immediate delivery of merchandise from the city. Many important objects are to be accomplished by the operation of a successful truck line out of Louisville including national advantages considered from the standpoint of increased food production in this territory.

## SKELTON GETS PREMIER CONTROL

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 27—Dr. L. S. Skelton, of Okmulgee, Okla., has become head of the Premier Motor Corp. through the purchase of 65 per cent of the stock. He will assume the general management of the concern. The department heads will be retained.

The plant is to be enlarged immediately, Dr. Skelton said. Production requiring 2000 employees is being considered. Quantity production on the new model Premier is to be started, about 200 having been practically completed. The new owner has extensive oil, glass, lead and zinc interests in the west. He was distributer for the Premier in Los Angeles and other places in the west.

Officials of the Premier Motor Corp. would not confirm the assertion made by Doctor Skelton that he had purchased controlling interest in the corporation. A deal is said to be still pending.

# ST. LOUIS TO MAKE SKELTON

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 28—A contract to manufacture 20,000 motor cars has been closed by the St. Louis Car Co. with the Skelton Motor Corp., recently organized by Dr. L. S. Skelton. Production will begin at once, the company being readily enabled to convert its facilities use for the manufacture of airplanes, steel freight cars, ammunition cars and automotive repairshops for the allied armies during the war to the manufacture of motor cars.

The new car will be of the light fourcylinder type. E. B. Meissner, president, said the company expected soon to be able to complete fifty or more machines a day. The regular force of workers is 1200, but this will be increased 800. It is announced the operation will be part manufacture and part assembly at first, with the ultimate aim to manufacture the entire car here.

W. A. Chapman, former field secretary of the Dort Motor Car Co., is general manager.

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# INTRODUCE COAST ROADS BILL

Washington, Sept. 30—A bill has been introduced in the House of Representatives authorizing the survey of roads in Washington, Oregon and California adapted to heavy truck transportation

# Taxes Discussed by Manufacturers

# Revenue Officials Ask Motor Men For Aid in Making Assessments

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26—The Nationmerce and the Motor & Accessory Manufacturers' association held a meeting
here Tuesday with the Department of Internal Revenue to define and discuss recent tax measures. The department believes that it needs intimate knowledge
of the operation of the industry before
it can interpret clearly the terms of the
tax or define the methods of collection.

The conference, which took no definite action of any sort, included discussions of the definition of "automobile trucks, automobile wagons and other automobiles" and definition of the term "parts and accessories." Discussion of the meaning of "further manufacture" as used in the internal revenue law took place, and the question was also brought

Jim is keeping his shop busy and his profits up all winter.

How does he do it?
Motor Age will tell you in
the Winter Service Issue on
November 6 how Jim is doing
it and you can do it.

up whether it would be possible to inaugurate a system whereby parts could be taxed without the use of multiple certificates in the case of successive sales. The term "general use as a commercial commodity" also was discussed, as was the establishment of some method whereby jobbers and dealers could account for taxable articles purchased by them from the manufacturer and subsequently diverted to use on an article not taxable.

as a preliminary to the establishment and maintenance of a national system of truck defense and post roads along the Pacific Coast. In addition to being used as a national defense and post road system, the contemplated system is to be open to the use of the general public free of tolls and under state control except when used for national defense and military purposes. The bill would appropriate \$250,000 to defray expenses.

This bill is not believed to interfere with any of the legislation now pending in Congress for the establishment of a Federal Roads Commission. It is merely a bill which would authorize special military defense highways for the protection of the Pacific Coast which would be under the direct supervision of the War Department.

The industry also asked for simplification of the regulations applying to export sales. The export sale regulations now limit the time in which proof of exportation must be furnished and also demand considerable proof.

The definition of the terms "automobile, automobile wagons and other automobiles" was asked to clarify definitely the situation as regards tax on motor truck chassis. Definition of the words "parts and accessories" was taken up to determine whether or not commodities which are used on cars but are also used for other purposes are or are not taxable.

# BURY HEADS PACKARD DISTRIBU-

Chicago, Sept. 27—George R. Bury, formerly general manager of the Packard Motor Car Co. of Chicago has been recalled to Detroit by the Packard factory and will hereafter fill the position of general distribution manager there. Mr. Bury had been in Chicago only a few months, taking over the management when the Packard factory purchased the distribution business of the old Chicago Packard organization and converted it into a factory branch.

Charles G. Embleton, general distribution manager for the Chicago company, has succeeded Mr. Bury as general manager here. Mr. Embleton has been with the Packard Motor Car Co. for twelve years, starting in the assembly room, thence through the stages of demonstrator and salesman to branch manager. He has conducted branches at Springfield, Mass., Hartford and New London, Conn., Newark, N. J., and Brooklyn, N. Y., and was territorial manager for the Packard for New York.

# BALTIMORE TRUCKS PARADE

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 28—More than 1400 trucks representing eighty-four distinct lines of business and industry, paraded through the streets of Baltimore in a pageant arranged by the motor car dealers' association. While it was primarily a motor parade, it was also a real display of business.

Many of the trucks were exceptionally well decorated. Several horses were carried on trucks and one mule also was in a pen. William Schluderberg & Sons, with a large fleet, carried hogs, cows and other animals. The parade while awakening the merchants of the city to the motor truck in a new way also provided an avenue of advertising for firms which went into it.

While many firms were expected to show accessories for motor cars and trucks, they were conspicuous by their absence.

# Makers Must Aid Campaign Against Motor Car Thieves

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—That manufacturficient territorial protection in the matter of stolen cars is the assertion made by E. L. Rickards, manager of the Automobile Protective & Information Bureau. The bureau is maintained by a number of insurance companies engaged in writing motor car theft policies, and its work is confined to the running down and identification of stolen cars.

It is in the identification of stolen cars after they are recovered that the manufacturers are falling short of their duty to their dealers, according to the bureau. Dealers are losing scores of sales each week because stolen cars are sold in their territory at prices they are unable

Active support of the Dyer Bill now before the Senate, making motor car thefts a Federal offense, has been urged upon members of the National Automobile Dealers' association by Harry G. Moock, business manager. His appeal is as follows:

"Twenty-eight million dollars worth of motor cars were stolen in 21 large cities of the United States in 1918. The Dyer bill offers an effective curb to this thieving.

"Write or wire your United States Senator to vote for this bill. Ask your bankers and merchants to do likewise."

to compete with in legitimate sales. Many if not most of these sales can be prevented if the manufacturers can be brought to co-operate with insurance companies in identification of their products.

# Stolen Cars Hurt Dealers

"Every stolen car sold means that the dealer in the territory in which it is sold has been deprived of his rights of exclusive sale under his agreement with the manufacturer," is the way the bureau sees the situation. "And every car that is stolen means that the business of selling cars has been given a setback. For the man whose car is stolen is disgusted and, as he must wait at least sixty days for payment even if his car is insured, he is likely to feel that owning a motor car is too expensive a luxury for him."

Manufacturers can fulfill their duty toward their dealers in the matter of identifying cars believed to be stolen by a simple change in their methods of keeping car records. At the present time, manufacturers, with one or two notable exceptions, have confined their records simply to keeping a file arranged as to serial engine numbers. Other numbers appear on these file cards, but they are not cross indexed and the task of finding any of the other numbers, such

as the transmission number, is long, tedious and sometimes impossible.

An example of this was given in a recent investigation in Iowa where fourteen cars, all of which were believed to have been stolen, were recovered. As usual, the serial engine numbers on all cars had been defaced or altered but on every car the investigators were able to find at least one of the original "secret" numbers. To identify these cars, a hunt had to be made through the entire files of the manufacturers and more than a month was consumed before all cars could be identified. Had a cross index system been used by the makers, this identification could have been established in half an hour.

In furtherance of its campaign for a proper manufacturer's record, the bureau has co-operated with a leading office equipment manufacturer, and a machine shortly will be put on the market which will do the cross index work at no more expense than that of the present inadequate system. So far, however, manufacturers have shown little inclination to co-operate with the insurance companies and such co-operation can be forced only by the dealers and by the public.

A change in methods in vogue in state registrations also is being sought. While most of the states require the serial number of the car when application is made for license, the license is indexed only under the name of the owner and the name of the car. If it also were indexed under the serial number, duplications of these numbers caused by substitution by thieves readily could be detected.

# CORPUS CHRISTI NEEDS HELP

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30—Financial assistance for Corpus Christi and its vicinity is requested of motor car dealers throughout the United States by the National Automobile Dealers' association.

# Service Work Results in Sales of Many Tractors

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m has}$  CITY, MO., Sept. 30—Service has been one of the big factors in the success of George T. O'Maley, who has sold more than 10,000 Fordson power farming outfits in Missouri in less than a year. The apex of service obligations on the O'Maley organization was reached in August. Dealers now have competent sales and service organizations of their own. They are increasing their shop equipment. The dealers are so distributed over the state that no owner will be further than 10 miles from a Fordson service station. Dealers whose territory has a greater radius than 10 miles or who are located in one corner of their territory, have one or more substations. These substations are usually garages, whose managers the dealers have trained in Fordson service and whom they keep supplied with parts.

# Service Men Cover Territories

O'Maley service and division men cover their territories every six weeks. Upon reaching a town, a service man calls upon, or talks over the telephone with, every owner who has bought a Fordson outfit since his precious visit. He checks the owners as to the results they are getting with the outfits, what service has been sought, if any, and whether the service has been efficiently rendered. If necessary, the traveler visits the farmer and inspects the tractor, and makes sugestions on care and operation.

Formerly the traveling service man was allowed to render service himself; now, when service is needed, the traveler refers the owner to the local dealer. The traveler uses the data gathered from owners and in helping the local

dealer to get his service department on a sound basis.

O'Maley is developing a system of gathering direct from owners information on the farmer's idea of power farming after he has had his outfit thirty to sixty days. This data is to be recorded on a card index and will be used for many purposes, in both sales and service departments. The chief use will be in checking up the service rendered by the local dealer.

# SHIP-BY-TRUCK FOR ST. LOUIS

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30—The St. Louis Chamber of Commerce has plans to make Oct. 25 a ship-by-truck day and is attempting to have Mayor Henry W. Kiel proclaim the day as such. A parade c. commercial vehicles will be the feature of the ceelbration. James E. Coyl, manager of the transportation department of the chamber of commerce, is in charge of arrangements.

## ATLANTA PLANS FOR BIG SHOW

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 30—The Atlanta Automobile Show, which will be held in connection with the Southeastern Fair, October 11 to 21, inclusive, will be under the auspices of the Atlanta Automobile association. President R. H. Martin has issued a bulletin to all exhibitors giving the latest rules decided upon.

Motors cars, airplanes, trucks, tractors, farm light outfits and accessories will be exhibited, but the show will be independent of the other automotive exhibits and will be confined exclusively to passenger cars. Space has been allotted to more than twice as many exhibitors as last year, and every indica-

tion is that this will be the very best show possible in connection with a fair.

All decorations, signs, etc., will be handled by a central committee appointed by the association, composed of representatives of the leading firms.

Many dealers in the southeastern states will attend this show, and many of the Atlanta distributers have planned appropriate entertainment for their dealers who visit them during show week.

## HOUSTON SHOW POSTPONED

Houston, Tex., Sept. 30—Houston's Tractor Demonstration, which was scheduled for Oct. 1 and 2 has been indefinitely postponed, according to announcement made this week. The postponement was necessitated because of a conflict with the Dallas Fair and by the fact that a heavy storm on Sept. 14 caused severe damages to surrounding farms, from which the demonstration was expected to draw much of its patronage.

# Combination Shipments Save Dealers Expressage

CHICAGO, Sept. 20—Dealers and supply houses in the larger cities who have less-than-carload lot or express shipments of repair parts or other merchandise can speed up their freight shipments and get practically express time at l.c.l. freight rates by taking advantage of the service offered by the forwarding companies. The Chicago Automobile Trade association has investigated the possibilities of utilizing the forwarding companies by grouping a number of small shipments from various shippers in one city to different members of the trade in Chicago.

As a result of its investigation, a report has been issued on the saving which may be obtained in Detroit-Chicago shipments, if Chicago dealers will co-operate in utilizing forwarding companies in the same way that they are used in the furniture and other trades. The C. A. T. A. finds that "second-

morning delivery" may be had on motor car parts and accessories at from 54 to 64 cents per hundredweight, whereas express shipments with two to five days' delivery are \$1.54. Likewise, goods which now come as less-than-carload lots in one to two weeks can be had in two days at the same rate as before.

Dealers in New York, Boston and Philadelphia are now using this method of speeding shipments.

# INDIANA HAS A "HIGHWAY DAY"

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 30—Indiana celebrated Highways Transport day this week and set the stage for big future development of the highways and the utility of the motor vehicle in Indiana. The feature of the day was a motor truck parade, staged by the Indianapolis motor truck dealers, Indiana transfer men, and owners of trucks who are interested in inter-city hauling or in the rural motor express work.

Aside from the public, the most interested spectators were delegates to the convention of Indiana bankers, and the convention of county commissioners. From different viewpoints the bankers and commissioners occupy a most important place in the development of the highways and motor truck hauling. Bankers and commissioners who saw the parade were convinced of great possibilities in the motor truck as a means to develop the resources of Indiana, and as a means of carrying more service to the consuming public.

# Canadian Tractor Show Eliminates Competitions

OTTAWA, ONT., Stp. 27—The greatest farm tractor demonstration in all Canada this year will be seen at the annual ploughing match at the Canadian government's experimental farm and the adjacent J. R. Booth farm, Oct. 14-16, under the auspices of the Eastern Ontario & Western Quebec Ploughmen's Association.

The tractor demonstration will be conducted on a tract of 200 acres, and it is expected that more than thirty-five machines will be shown in operation. Preparations are being made to handle at least 20,000 visitors in the capital during the three-day event for which single rates for the round trip have been secured on all railways.

# No Competitive Tests to Be Held

The tractor manufacturers will be given virtually a free hand in arranging for the individual tests for their demonstrators but no trophies will be awarded for the exhibitions. There is to be no charge for the privilege of demonstrating tractors on the field. W. H. Day, a farm specialist of Guelph, Ontario, and W. D. Jackson, district representative in Carleton County for the department of agriculture, have been appointed officials to have charge of tractor demonstrations.

Provision has been made for exhibits of tractors, other than demonstrators, as well as cars, accessories and power farm machinery, including farm lighting outfits. Manufacturers or agents will be permitted to erect tents or booths for the exhibits and there wil be no charge for such displays, except where arrangements are made for the actual sale of articles on the grounds.

Arrangements have been made for the use of a siding of the Canadian Pacific railway for the unloading of tractor exhibits at the experimental farm and the Ottawa Electric railway also will provide a special service to the field. The farms are close to the city, however, and the demonstration will be easily accessible to local residents as well as visitors. Some of the tractors and farm machinery exhibits have already arrived and are being stored without charge in Howick pavilion, one of the local fair buildings.

The tractor displayed and demonstrated will be representative of the tractor industry in both Canada and the United States. More than twenty manufacturers are expected to have from one to three tractors on the ground for the event. The Ottawa match is the one event in Canada which is receiving general support of tractor manufacturers this year.

Money grants have been provided by the city of Ottawa and the county of Carleton to take care of various expenditures in connection with the demonstration

# NAPIER MAKES FAST FLIGHT

London, Eng., Sept. 30—Capt. Gathergood of the British air service, is believed to have made the best record in the exhibit flights to the Amsterdam Show this month. Capt. Gathergood flew a new Airco 9-R machine from Hounslow to Soesterberg in 2 hr. 10 min., an average of 134.5 m.p.h. The machine flown by Capt. Gathergood was equipped with a 450 hp. Napier aero engine and had been in the air less than five minutes before the flight was undertaken.

#### LONDON-PARIS AIR LINE ESTAB-LISHED

Washington, Sept. 27—Arrangements have been made for weekly air service between London and Paris, machines to carry fourteen passengers at \$75 each, according to announcement made by trade commissioner Grady. The American agents for aircraft transportation and travel hope to arrange in the future for liners from America to be met regularly by airplanes at English and French ports so that business men may lose no time in their journeys to London.

# NEW RENAULTS IN NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 27-What are said to be the first European post war cars to arrive in this country are some new Renault cars just received by the Renault's American branch here. They embody several new features, including silent, single-unit S.E.V. starting system attached to the crank shaft at the front of the engine, making the starting dynamo extremely accessible and monobloc-type engines in the 12-18 hp. and 18-30 hp. models. All have a threepoint suspension on the main frame, instead of on a sub-frame as formerly. The new automatic carbureter with the flange is attached direct to the cylinder casting. Unusually high road clearance adapt these cars to American conditions.

Same Shortage As In Gasoline Field continue until Oct. 4. In This Type of Trucks and Cars

Vehicles Are Popular in Suburban Towns

NEW YORK, Sept. 29-Increased output of electrical passenger cars is needed to meet present demands, the situation comparing somewhat to that of gas cars. This was revealed here today at the New York Electrical Show at the Grand Central Palace at which exhibitions are being made of vehicles propelled by electricity.

Factories making passenger cars are said to have turned from war work confronted with a large market which has not yet been supplied. One exhibitor here declared he expected to receive no further shipments until December and that he had only a few cars which had not yet been sold. The fall demand was expected to take these soon, it was said. Another exhibitor declared that the only cars available for New York sales were being exhibited at the show and that further shipments were not expected until November.

## Suburban Towns Like Electrics

The sale of electrical cars in this district is said to be largely to nearby suburban cities in the states of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut. Few buyers were reported from New York city for passenger cars, the field here being larger for the sale of trucks. Trucks, however have been exported in some quantities to the northern countries of Europe, it was said, as gasoline prices are high in those districts whereas, due to water-power development, at some places the rates for such power were low. Dealers spoke of this field as offering gratifying markets, although the last few weeks had witnessed a seasonal falling off.

Few changes over the pre-war models were described, although minor changes, principally in body designs had been The Detroit has changed its spring suspension, reduced tire sizes, strengthened wheels and rearranged its wiring system. The Baker R & L changes have been confined to the body. Detroit, however, expected within a few days to make the first showing of a new model sedan, built to follow the conventional gas car lines. Both cars have made price increases since Jan. 1.

# Trucks Are in Demand

Distribution of electric trucks in New York has been in excess of passenger cars, it was stated, particularly to department stores and other concerns having delivery systems requiring frequent stops. One company showed a completely fitted fire truck that will go into operation following the show as one

Electrics Also Behind of a fleet of electrical vehicles in a New Jersey city.

The show, which opened Sept. 24, will

## AIR RACE ACROSS CONTINENT

New York, Sept. 30-Anouncement of a transcontinental airplane endurnace contest between New York and San Francisco which is to start Oct. 8 was made this week by Maj. Gen. Charles T. Mencher, director of the United States Air Service. Contestants may start either from New York or San Francisco and will follow the same course between the two cities.

The contest is open to all Government pilots and planes, but the planes must be standard in every detail, while the pilots must secure the recommendation of the commanding officers of their fields. A system of handicaps is to be

# Government Material for Rebuilding

Washington, Sept. 27-The tractor plant of the Moline Plow Co., Moline, Ill., which was destroyed by fire recently soon will be re-established with machinery sold to the company by the War Department. The company has purchased milling machines, drilling machines, planers and grinders from the War Department through the department of sales of the Ordnance and Air Depart-

devised to put all on an equal footing. Three points are to be considered in determining the winner, elapsed time between start and finish, actual flying time and flying time based upon the handicaps allotted. No prizes are to be given.

The main purposes of the transcontinental contest are to determine the reliability and general fitness of the various types of machines, to demonstrate the feasibility of an aerial mail service between the two cities and to show the public the development of aircraft in the last few years.

Contestants may make their start either from Mineola, L. I., or from San Francisco. Controls have been established along the route at Binghamton, Rochester and Buffalo, N. Y., Cleveland and Bryan, Ohio, Chicago and Rock Island, Ill., St. Paul, Minn., North Platte. Neb., Salt Lake City and Salduro, Utah, Battle Mountain, and Reno, Nev., and Saramento, Calif. Stops of not less than 30 min. nor more than 48 hr. must be made at each of these controls.

# Vesper Raps Car Shortage

Misuse of Railroad Equipment Cause of Most of Trouble, He Says

Urges Hines to Stop Evil to Aid Motor Dealers

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 30—An effort to relieve the freight car shortage which is handicapping motor car dealers is securing cars from their factories is being made by the National Automobile Dealers' association through President F. W. A. Vesper. Mr. Vesper has sent the following telegram to Walker D. Hines, director general of railroads:

"Reports to National Automobile Dealers' association indicate serious loss to dealers because manufacturers are unable to get freight cars. Great hardship is being occasioned to thousands of dealers whose expenses can only be met by delivering motor cars. Our association understands special motor car equipment is being used for every kind of loading and except for order operative in Chicago region cannot be returned to factory towns empty. As motor cars must be loaded in special equipment the dealer situation is extremely critical because that equipment is unavailable at a time when deliveries must be made to consumers. This situation needs your prompt and vigorous consideration so that equipment can be returned to factories for reloading. Suggest wide extension of Chicago regional order permifting return of empty motor car equipment from all parts of the country to manufacturing points."

# GRANT TO DOUBLE ITS OUTPUT

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 30-Production of 20,000 Light Sixes, double its present output, has been announced for next year by the Grant Motor Car Corp. The Light Six is an entirely new car with 118 in. wheelbase, 2 in. longer than previous models, and a larger engine of the same general characteristics as the present model, having a bore of 31% in. and a stroke of 41/2 in., the bore being 1/8 in. greater than the present engine. exterior of the car has been changed completely by the adoption of a new radiator design and a bevel edge type of body which makes a low car of smart appearance. Open models will sell for \$1,495 and closed cars for \$2,450.

# ATLANTA SUFFERS FROM BIG FIRE

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 28-Atlanta's motor row suffered a \$200,000.00 fire this week when the establishments of the Patterson Auto Co., distributers for Patterson cars in the southeast, the Bohler Auto Service, the Standard Tire & Rubber Co., and the Pyrene Manufacturing Co. were destroyed. The new firm of Alexander & Gunn, accessory dealers. suffered 50 per cent loss from fire and water.

# Service Profits Depend On: STOCKROOM

# Layout, Bin Location and Arrangement for Various Types of Parts

O lay out a stockroom properly is simply a problem of economic utilization of space and proper location of bins to prevent unnecessary waste of energy. It was found in considering the fundamentals of the garage design that the center aisle principle made possible the best utilization of space and enabled one to get the most cars into a certain floor area. This fundamental also applies to the stockroom, as it should be arranged so a hand truck can be used to carry all the heavy material to and from the receiving and shipping department. As a matter of fact, the major idea in any stockroom layout is to have the arrangement such that an order can be filled in the shortest time possible consistent with minimum cost and efficient handling.

## Stockroom Layout

The general problem of stockroom layouts is composed of a few basic facts which are as follows:

1—Proper location of departments so orders will flow through progressively.

2—Economic location of bins with reference to available space, stock activities and weight of parts.

3—Proper size and type of bins for various classes of parts.

4—Proper binning of parts by model or item.

5—Accurate and rapid methods of locating parts.

6—Proper protection for valuable and painted parts.

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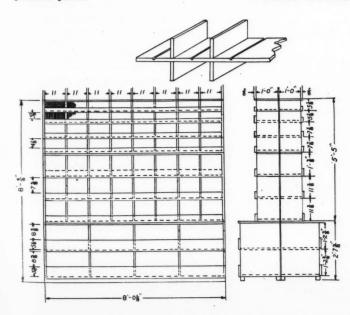
In the larger class of service stations which have multi-floored buildings the freight entrance and exit to the shipping and receiving department is really the determining factor in the floor layout. It is obvious the shipping and receiving departments should be placed as close to the freight exit and entrance as possible to reduce the distance over which one

must transport the heavy shipments by hand trucks. For example, if the shipping and receiving department is to be located at the rear of a stockroom, to insure the best method of handling an order it should start from the opposite end of the building so it will flow through progressively. From this it can be seen that the office in connection with the stockroom necessarily must be located at the end of the building opposite from the shipping and receiving department with the main storeroom for repair parts located in between.

#### Sales Counter

Every stockroom must have some kind of a sales counter, and it is preferable to locate it just as near the stock office as possible and also to provide a wrapping counter so as to avoid time lost in sending parts to the shipping room for wrapping in case of cash sales. This location also makes it easy to refer to office records when the occasion arises.

In smaller stockrooms it is a good plan to locate the sales counter and the distribution counter to mechanics in the repairshop directly opposite each other so that in case only one person is handling the stockroom he is able to watch both distribution counters at the same time. Bins should be located so there wil be at least one aisle through the entire stockroom large enough to accommodate hand trucks to facilitate the handling of heavy parts. The bins carry-



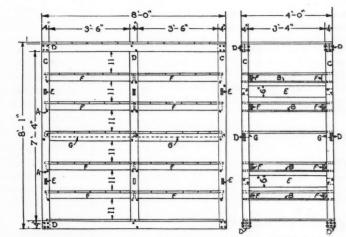


Fig. 2—Parts bins of the medium size comprize about 75 per cent of the storage space in a stockroom

Fig. 3—Heavy parts rack suitable for binning cylinder blocks, gearsets, shafts, radiators, etc.

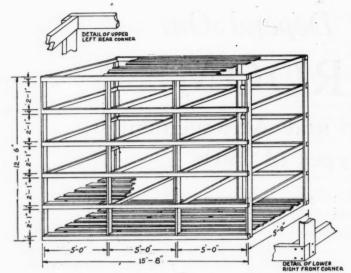


Fig. 4-This is a good rack for binning sheet metal parts, as they require protection of finished surfaces

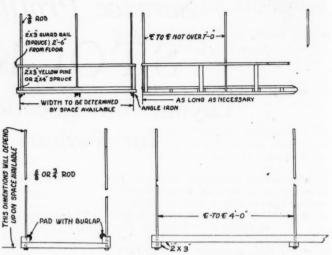


Fig. 5-Space limitations sometimes necessitate hanging racks. Here are two of good design

ing these heavy parts should be placed as near the shipping and receiving room as possible to avoid having to transport heavy parts over a long distance. All aisles, regardless of their direction, in the storeroom should be straight where possible.

Bins should be located so the loss of space will be a minimum. In most cases this will necessitate having a few bins of different lengths. However, as they usually are made in standard sections, it makes little difference. Certain parts are in greater demand than others, and the bins containing these parts should be placed near the main aisle and as convenient as possible. The aisles between the spaces of the bins can be varied above a limit of about 21/2 ft. as the size of the parts to be handled increase. From this it will be seen a variation in size of bins to accommodate certain classes of parts will be necessary to utilize the floor space to the best advantage.

# Open Faced Types

The open-face type of bin is best suited for the average stockroom as it saves time and energy. The drawered cabinet type of bin for handling heavy parts is very inefficient. For example, if a stock man has to open and close a drawer ten times in an hour and this drawer has to be pulled open a foot and it requires 40 lb. to open the drawer and 40 lb. to close it, then this man is doing 800 lb. of work an hour or in a 10-hr. day, 8000 ft. lb. of work.

This is equivalent to shovelling 4 tons of coal through a distance of 1 ft. in a day and, as can be seen, this would be rather strenuous work. The fatigue factor is very important in any plant, as it is only by these means that our factories have been able to reach the high production they are now capable of with a limited number of men.

Repair parts should be divided up into their respective classes to facilitate bin-To construct suitable bins they may be divided into the following classes:

- 1-Equipment for small parts.
- 2-Equipment for medium parts.
- 3-Equipment for heavy and bulky
  - 4-Equipment for sheet metal parts.

Small repairs parts would be those common to electrical apparatus, ignition apparatus, carbureters, etc. A steel rack suitable for binning these small parts is shown in Fig. 1. This rack has 180 drawers specially designed for storing this class of parts. Each drawer can be partitioned on 1-in. centers if desired. Common practice is to divide these drawers into six or eight compartments, which gives for the entire rack 1082 or 1440 different divisions. Each drawer in the rack should be provided with a pull handle and a lateral holder at the forward end. This rack occupies a floor space of 3 sq. ft. and is so designed that additional units may be added from time to time as required. This piece of equipment is an ideal type for storing small parts, considering the space involved.

Most repair parts are classified as medium-sized parts. A bin suitable for storing this class of parts will be used

which is necessary with bins of higher construction. The ladder in a storeroom is a time-loser, as it always is blocking the aisle. Any part of this bin can be reached from the shelf, as the top of it is only 51/2 ft. above the shelf. Under this classification there is some variation in the size of parts, and that is taken care of by having three different sizes of bins. The larger bins are located below for the heavier parts and graduate up to the lighter parts at the upper portions of the bin. While the

bin shown in this illustration is slightly over 8 ft. in length, it can be constructed in shorter section to correct for variation in floor space. However, as many as possible can be made of this standard size to suit an individual layout and the remainder of the space filled out with an odd-sized bin.

most, and such a bin is shown in Fig. 2.

This bin is 8 ft. high, being built that

way to eliminate the use of ladders,

# Construction of Bins

Considerable attention should be paid to the construction of these bins. The division between the faces of the bins should be made of galvanized iron wire of 1/4-in. mesh, so the maximum amount of light can pass through the bins. Experience has proved battleship gray is the best color for these bins.

A rack suitable for storing heavy and bulky parts is shown in Fig. 3. Repair parts under this classification are shafts, cylinders, gearsets, radiators, wheels and similar material. Space is provided at the top of these racks for the storage of fenders and other sheet metal parts. The two shelves above and below the center shelf are removable, so the size of bin can be changed in the simplest manner possible. These removable shelves are supported by %-in. rods which run horizontally through the upright supports of the rack.

A good design of rack suitable for storing sheet metal parts such as fenders, hoods, etc., is shown in Fig. 4. rack may be set to run along a wall and extend to the ceiling, if this amount of

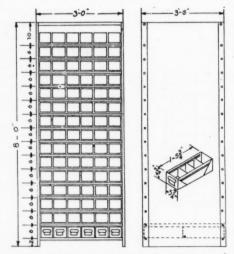


Fig. 1-This small parts rack requires 3 sq. ft. floor space and has a possible 1440 storage divisions

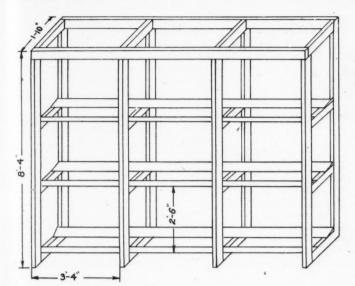


Fig. 6—This rack is designed so that wheels, tires, rims, etc., can be placed in a vertical position to facilitate removing

Fig. 7—A fireproof excelsior bin for the shipping room

storage space is required. The lighter and less used parts should be stored on the upper shelves of this rack.

Some cars will have fenders too large for this rack, hence it will be necessary to increase the distance between the partition and probably increase the depth of the rack. However, the construction of the rack is shown clearly, and the method of joining the upright to the base is illustrated in the small drawing in the lower right corner. In the partitions of this rack to be used for the storing of fenders which are not wrapped to prevent them from being scratched it would be well to cover the longitudinal strips with felt or some other soft material which would prevent fenders from becoming scratched. Pine would be the best material to make this rack out of.

In some stockrooms where space is limited it might be advisable to use a hanging rack similar to that shown in Fig. 5 for the storage of sheet metal parts. The chief objections to this kind of a rack are that it is somewhat inextensible. However, it is sometimes necessary to resort to these means in stockrooms where it is necessary to store a certain amount of material in a limited amount of space.

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Two sizes of hanging racks are shown. The upper rack is for longer material and the lower one for shorter material. It is imperative in the construction of these racks not to exceed the dimensions given between the verticle hanging members. These racks are only designed to carry a certain load, and if this dimension is exceeded, it is liable to cause failure of the rack. Note the running strips of these racks are to be padded with burlap to prevent damage to any painted part.

The rack in Fig. 6 is designed to store wheels, rims and tires and may be modified so it can be used for storing radiators and springs. For storing springs it would be best to increase the depth of this rack to about 4 ft. but leave the longitudinal strips triangular in sections so the springs will rest right side up in the rack. In this manner the

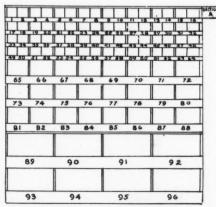
springs can be stored side by side and thus more springs placed in the rack than if the longitudinal strips were flat and the springs allowed to lay on their side. If any of the sections of this rack are to be used for storing radiators, it would be best to cover the longitudinal strips with burlap to prevent damage to the painted parts of the radiator.

The excelsior bin shown in Fig. 7 is a safe means of showing it and is one that conforms to insurance underwriters' regulations. This piece of stockroom equipment is well adapted for use in the receiving and shipping room. It should be

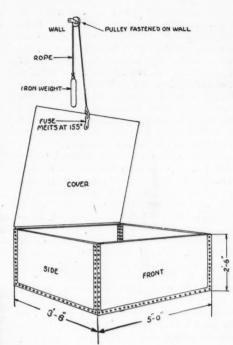
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The upper section illustrates the correct way to designate bin locations and the lower, the incorrect method



constructed of 16-gage galvanized sheet iron.

One of the features of this bin is the fusible link which connects the cover weight-balancing cords to the cover. In case a fire starts in the excelsior bin, this fusible link will melt at 155 deg. Fahr. and permit the lead to drop, which smothers the fire. One usualy can obtain such a link at any electrical or hardware store.

Fig. 8 shows the proper and improper method of numbering bins. In the past it always has been a common practice to letter each section separately and then to number the bins in the section consecutively as shown in the lower part. This is a very poor practice because the bin numbers frequently run in the three figures and are consequently very difficult to locate. This may seem like a small matter, but it really amounts to considerable in a stockroom, as every means must be taken to prevent the waste of energy and time.

# Proper Numbering Important

As stated before, the proper numbering or indexing of stock bins is very important. Perhaps the most convenient plan is to number each section separately and then to letter each row of bins. This is shown in the upper illustration. Each row of bins in the rack has a letter assigned to it and the bins are numbered from left to right. Note that in the larger bins they are numbered with odd numbers. The reason for this is that if one ever desires to divide the larger bins into two bins, the whole rack will not have to be renumbered. For example, if it were desired to divide bin 1 into two bins, it simply would assign the No. 2 to the new division.

Thus the location of a bin in the rack would be as S-1 and B-7. This gives the exact location of the rack in the stockroom layout and of the bin in the rack.

It is very important that there be some

rapid means of locating the bins in which specific parts are located. First the stockroom inventory card referring to one individual part should have a provision on it for noting the location of this part in the stockroom both by section and by bin. In addition to this there should also be a stocked part location book. This book would be made up with the parts numbers running consecutively in one column and the sections and bin locations in the other column.

For example, if it were desired to locate a part No. 936 by running down the column of consecutive numbers to 936, we should find opposite this number in the next column the bin located which would be F-1, G-5 for example. A location book of this nature will be found of great value in a stockroom, especially at the sales counter, where the stockroom inventory cards are not available for reference to determine the location of a part. When a part salesman makes a sale he can refer to this book and immediately determine the exact location of the part in the stockroom.

Much money can be lost in a stockroom through damage to painted parts. Therefore, it is essential that every precaution be taken to prevent fenders, hoods and other painted parts from becoming scratched. Hence, it is important that all bins and racks which are to store finished parts should be protected with burlap, felt or some other soft substance which will not mar the finish of these parts.

# "YELLOWS" TO GO TO LIVERPOOL

Chicago, Sept. 30—"Yellow cabs," the Chicago taxicab service which are noted throughout the United States as among the most efficient and economical public vehicle systems in the world, are shortly to make their appearance in England. An order for 150 of these cabs was received this week by the Shaw Mfg. Co., builders of the machines, from an English firm which proposed to institute a taxicab service in Liverpool similar to that in Chicago. The Shaw concern has also received an order for a number of touring cars from Barcelona, Spain.

# BUILD BOAT FOR MOTOR CARS

Buffalo, N.Y., Oct. 2—Construction of a vessel to be used exclusively to transport motor cars is planned by the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Co. Frank E. Kirby, marine architect, has been engaged to design the steamer which will be an oil burner. The boat will be equipped with elevators to facilitate loading on the upper decks and in the hold and will be ready for her first run in 1921.

The D. & C. Co. announces that so many tourists are now shipping their cars by boat between lake ports that passenger steamers have been forced to accept new cars for shipment east. The construction of the steamer will make Buffalo the largest interchange point in the east, it is believed, as the vessel will ply between Detroit and Buffalo on her regular run.

# River Highway Organized

Mississippi Association Formed to Improve Roads Along Great Stream

Goes From St. Paul, Minn., to New Orleans, La.

M EMPHIS, TENN., Sept. 30.—With every mile of the Mississippi River Scenic Highway, from New Orleans to St. Paul, under a division organization, the annual meeting of the Mississippi River Scenic Highway association, held here Sept. 16, marked the real beginning of the campaign for this highway, construction of which is largely due to motor car and truck owners and motor car dealers from St. Louis to New Orleans.

The association has been incorporated for some months, but detailed plans of raising funds and construction as well as an extensive publicity campaign were discussed and decided on at the meeting here. Truman Pierson, president of the association, had just completed a tour of inspection of the route of the highway between Memphis and New Orleans and attended the recent meeting at Vicksburg where the southern division was organized, so he was in a position to make a detailed report to the annual meeting here.

Want Year-Round Highway

The aim of the association is to construct a hard-surfaced, readily traversable highway for every day in the year, from St. Paul to New Orleans. Federal, state, county, parish and municipal aid, as well as the help of all automotive associations and all individual motorists, is being enlisted throughout the length of the highway. The Mississippi Valley association and the Mississippi Valley Waterways association are assisting, as are also the branches and the parent body of the Louisiana-Mississippi Automotive Trade association, recently organized in New Orleans.

The proposed highway parallels the river. Beginning at New Orleans, it runs up the east bank of the river through Baton Rouge, Natchez, Vicksburg, Greenville and Memphis and there crosses on the first passenger bridge to the west bank, thence continuing northward.

# BOISE HOLDS MOTOR SHOW

Boise, Sept. 30-The first show of the Boise Auto Trades association, and the first show of any consequence ever held in Idaho, was held last week, September 22-27, in connection with the fifth annual state fair. Twenty exhibitors took part and 31 makes were represented, most of them by 1920 models furnished by the factories for the occasion. The show was greatly hampered by inability of the dealers to get cars. Two firms unable to get a car of any kind in their line, even by offers to pay owners for use of their cars a few hours each day, were compelled to leave their spaces vacant.

To house the show the largest tent

which could be found in the state, measuring 60 by 250 ft., was used, and every inch in it was taken. The dealers were allowed three cars each. No accessories were shown because of the lack of space, but many dealers supplemented their car exhibits with displays of motor parts and engine cut-aways.

The success of the event was a reflection of the almost unbelievable increase of automobile users in the state. In 1913 only 2083 cars were registered. Last week, with more than three months yet to go on 1919, the 41,000 mark was passed, an increase in six years of approximately 20,000 per cent. Last year 32,281 cars were registered. The registration this year, therefore, is more than 25 per cent over last year's mark.

# CHAUFFEURS THREATEN TO STRIKE

Philadelphia, Sept. 27.—The International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Stablemen and Helpers of America, Local No. 470, comprising about 1500 men, drivers and helpers, have demanded an increase in wages from the Philadelphia Team Owners' Protective association, which includes 120 employing draymen in this city. The chauffeurs demand a weekly wage of \$30 for driving trucks not exceeding 3 tons, \$33 for trucks not exceeding 5 tons, and \$35 for trucks exceeding 5 tons. The employers' association has taken the question under advisement.

# HERE'S A NEW STUNT OF THIEVES

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 1—A new type motor car thief has just been arrested in Buffalo. This man would follow and obtain the motr and car numbers of newly purchased cars. He would then hasten to the Buffalo branch of the New York State automobile bureau and obtain a license for the car, using the proper numbers but a fictitious name and address. Three cars are said to have been stolen by this thief before the owners obtained licenses. With a license apparently made out properly the thief had litle difficulty in disposing of the new machines.

# DEPARTMENTS GET WAR CARS

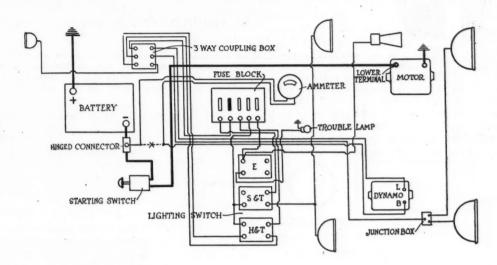
Washington, Sept. 28—A bill has been introduced in the Senate authorizing the Secretary of War to transfer free of charge a number of motor propelled vehicles and motor equipment to the Department of Agriculture for use in the improvement of highways, to the Post Office Department for use in the transmission of mails, to the Navy Department upon request of the Secretary of the Navy, and to the Treasury Department for the use of the Public Health Service.

## LINCOLN MOTORS INCREASES STOCK

Detroit, Sept. 27—The capital stock of the Lincoln Motor Car Co. has increased from \$900,000 to \$1,400,000. The Lincoln Motor Car Co. is one of the concerns which made Liberty Motors during the war.

# Motor Age Wiring Chart No. 48

Connections on 1914 Case. The Westinghouse two-unit system is used.



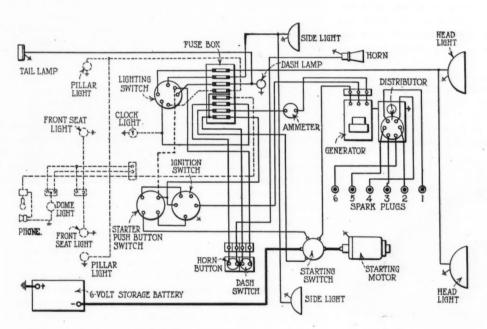


Diagram of the wiring connections on Pierce-Arrow-series B-4. Dotted connections indicate limousine models

Abbott—March 20-27
Alco—April 24
Alter—Nov. 4
Apperson—March 6
Bulck—Nov. 21-April 3
Cadillac—Dec. 9
Cartercar—May 1
Cole—Jan. 23-April 3
Case—Feb. 27
Chalmers—Feb. 20-Mar. 27
Chandler—April 3
Chevrolet—Nov. 28-Mar. 27
Crow-Ellkhart—June 26
Davis—May 8
Detroiter—March 6
Dodge—Dec. 12
Dort—March 13
Elgin—Feb. 27
Empire—March 18
Ford—Jan. 30-Feb. 6-May 15, 22
Franklin—June 19
Grant—Feb. 28-Mar. 27
Haynes—Sept. 4-\*1

Henderson—April 3
Hudson—Dec. 5-May 1
Hupmobile—Feb. 13
King—July 3
Krit—Feb. 6
Lexington—April 24
Little—March 20
Lecomobile—Jan. 23-Apr. 17
Maxwell—Jan. 16-Aug. 14Sept. 11
Marion—March 6-20
Mercer—Jan. 23-Aug. 28
Michigan—March 20
Mitchell—Jan. 9
Murray—May 1
National—June 19
Oakland—Jan. 2
Oldsmobile—Jan. 23
Packard—June 19-July 31
Overland—Nov. 7-14
Owen-Magnetic—Sept. 8
Paige—July 3
Paterson—July 3

Paterson—Mar. 20—June 26
Premier—April 10
Pullman—April 10
Pullman—April 10
Regal—Feb. 6-April 10
Reo—Feb. 27-Aug. 21
Saxon—April 17
Scripps-Booth—Dec. 26
Simplex—April 17
Stanley—June 26
Stearns-Knight—April 24
Studebaker—Dec. 26
Stutz—Jan. 23
Velle—April 24-Sept. 25
Westcott—May 8White—Sept. 25
Special Systems for Fords—May 15-22
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Internal Connections—July 10-17-24



# Autogenous Welding in Automotive Repairs

By Thomas P. Bowman



This is the fifteenth installment of a series of articles that are to be published in MOTOR AGE each week. The author has had practical experience in motor car repairshops which enables him to present first-hand information on practical welding in a clear and concise manner. No difficulty should be encountered in this work, provided the reader will apply all the methods given herein.—Editor.

top edge of the seam.

# Part XV—Practical Methods in Plate Welding



# METHOD NO. 26-A

To GET experience in vertical welding of plates, after No. 26 has been completed, cut the plates in two. Bevel the edges and set the two halves in a vertical position with the edges to be welded horizontal. These plates should be set up so at one end they are together and at the other end they are ¼ in. apart. Use a No. 10 welding head, with 21 lb. oxygen pressure. Use a 3-16-in. welding rod. In starting this weld, heat the edges until they are melted, then hold the filling rod into the V. Use the swinging motion as before and move the flame around the filling rod. Be sure the entire length of the seam is completed as in No. 25. In case the edges wil not close

METHOD NO. 26-B

For further practice in vertical welding of plates, after No. 26-A has been finished, cut the plate in two and bevel the edges to 45 deg. Then set the plates up on end vertically. Set the plates together at the bottom edge and spread them ¾ in. at the top the same as in the three preceding methods. Use the same size welding head. The welding should be started from the bottom and carried upward without stopping until the welding is completed, the same method to be used as in 26-A for taking care of contraction.

up, slow down the welding and if the edges, after pasing the center, should close up too much, increase the speed of the welding. Do not point the welding flame too much to the

# METHOD NO. 27

In welding a plate metal tank such as is used for metal containers the plate first is rolled into the form of a cylinder. The edges of the seam to be welded are beveled at 45 deg. The same method of making a longitudinal seam is used in No. 24, except in this case the plate is heavier and it is necessary more care be taken in securing a sound, thorough weld. A No. 7 welding head should be used, with 16 lb. oxygen pressure and a \%-in. welding rod for all the job. When the shell is finished the bottom should be beveled on the flange as shown.

After the head is put in the shell, it should be tacked in about five places to hold it in place. See No. 13 for tackwelding. The welding of the bottom should be carried on the same as on welding ½-in. plates. While this is an edge weld, yet it is V'd out so a better joint may be secured. A ½-in. welding rod is used, and it is held in the V. The blowpipe is swung around the rod exactly as in welding ¼-in. plate. It is necessary, of course, that the bottom of the V be melted before the welding rod is added.

The entire head is welded by this means as quickly as possible. Because only one side of the joint is beveled, care must be taken that the melted welding rod is not dropped onto the cold surface. When the bottom is welded in, the head next is tacked to the shell. This should be tacked in about four places. The shell and head both are beveled to give a butt joint. The joint then is made exactly the same as in welding the ½-in. plate metal.





Fig. 70—An 800 lb. gear of which two teeth are broken. The gear measures 44 in. in diameter, 6 in. wide, the teeth being 6 by 1½ by 1½ in. The lower photograph shows the gear teeth built up by welding and later machined, making the gear practically as good as new

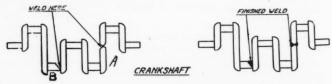


Fig. 7-Method No. 28

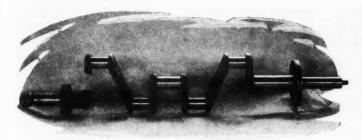


Fig. 72-Broken four-pin crankshaft

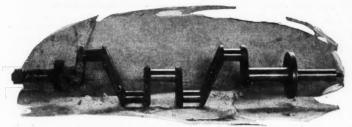


Fig. 73-Crankshaft after welding

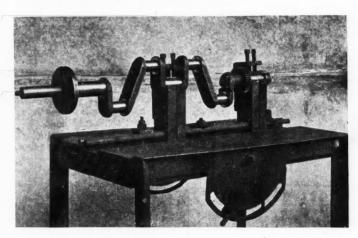


Fig. 74-Break properly V'd and crankshaft lined up in jig table

## METHOD NO. 28

No. 28 is to give practice in the welding of crankshafts. A crankshaft either breaks in the web A or in the pin B.

The breaks usually take the form shown in the diagram. It is necessary that in welding parts of this kind care be taken to keep them in line. This can be done by setting the shaft up on V blocks or a face plate with screw clamps. Before welding the set-up of the job should be checked over with a straight edge in order that the parts be properly centered and in line.

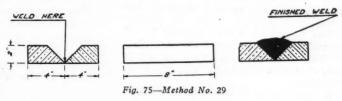
In welding a break such as is shown at A, the break should be V'd out about 45 deg. clear through to one side. This weld must be made vertically. A No. 10 welding head, 21 lb. oxygen pressure, and ¼-in. filling rod is melted into the V. A perfectly neutral flame is used all the way through the welding. The weld should be reinforced about 3/16 in. and when finished should be hammered slightly with a light hammer. This hammering should be done while the weld is still hot but never should be carried on after the metal has reached a dark red

After this is done, go over the back of the weld and give it a reinforcement of about 3/16 in. metal. When completed apply the same hammering treatment.

When the break is in the pin, as at B, a V should be made from one side, two-thirds of the way through, and then lined up and welded by the welding flame. The other side is melted out with the blowpipe flame until it reaches the weld from the

first side. It is important that the first weld be reached and that a good joint be secured at this point. The second V then is welded. This weld should be reinforced about 3/16 in. around the pin, and care must be taken that the edges at the top of the weld are melted thoroughly. The weld should be hammered all around, as previously described. The pin will be machined afterward. For this reason it is necessary that enough metal be present to allow for a good cut; also the character of the metal should be good and solid, and there should be no scale or blowholes in it.

After the crankshaft is welded it is always a slight bit out of line. It is put in the lathe then and straightened. This straightening can be done by heating with the blowpipe. A No. 10 or No. 12 welding head is used, and the shaft is heated at the place where it is out of line to a dull red heat, and then straightened by pressure from a crowbar or screw jack. After straightening, the job should be allowed to cool off slowly. Slow cooling can be given to it by wrapping a piece of asbestos paper around it.



### METHOD NO. 29

The object here is practice in the welding of cast iron. Prepare a sample with a 45 deg. bevel. Place the two beveled edges together. Use a No. 12 welding head with the proper oxygen pressure. See welding table in article No. 1. Use

1/4-in. cast-iron filling rod.

Cast iron always is welded with a flux, a chemical compound added with the filling rod to prevent oxidation and to remove impurities. But to show the purpose of the flux, the sample should be welded first, without it, and with it in a second attempt.



Fig. 76-Method of welding. Note the flame of the preheating torch is removed during the welding operation

# awin Your Rusiness

# By Wellington Gustin

SEEMINGLY knotty legal problems are constantly arising in the dealer's business, which even a slight knowledge of the law easily may solve. Motor Age in this and others of a series of articles will take up some of the most common legal problems which confront the dealer. Mr. Gustin, a member of the Chicago bar, not only is well versed in the law relating to the dealer but presents it in such a way as to be readily understood by the layman. In addition to his articles, Mr. Gustin will gladly answer such individual inquiries on knotty points as may be submitted him.

istence, although contracts to sell may involve either existing goods or goods thereafter to be manufactured or acquired by the seller. If one contracts for the sale of certain goods which, without the knowledge of either party, have ceased to exist at the time, the contract is void.

The consideration on which the con-

Defines "sale" and tells wherein it differs from other

Quotes case in which a refund of purchase price was re-

tract of sale rests is a price in money.

Tells decision upholding Illinois motor law.

Cites a case where a guarantee is upheld.

sonable time has elapsed. An acceptance must be unconditional and identical with the offer. If it differs from the original offer to such an extent as to constitute a counter offer, there is no contract.

Where an offer is made by mail the contract is complete as soon as acceptance is placed in the mails, and an offer by telegraph, when accepted and the acceptance delivered for transmission becomes a binding obligation. An order for goods to be delivered to the buyer becomes binding when goods are so delivered. Here transmission of the acceptance is not necessary. But until such goods are shipped or delivered there is no acceptance of the offer unless it is communicated.

A sale or a contract to sell may be made in writing or by word of mouth, or by both, or it may be implied as a matter of law from the acts and conduct of the parties. An important exception must be noted here, that being in those cases

where the statute of frauds requires the contract to be in

writing.

The matter of title and the determining point beshould do concerning goods in dispute depends upon this question. Persons have sold goods to which they had no

title and others have attempted to collect where the courts have found title has never passed and the apparent debtor not liable. Necessarily this article can outline only the broadest fundamental principles of sales, but it will be amplified and illustrated by the latest court decisions from time to time.

#### This price may be paid or promised. Unless both parties have agreed upon the price, or upon a means by which the price may be definitely ascertained, there can

be no sale.

This week Mr. Gustin,-

bargains.

quired.

As in all other contracts there must be an offer and intent to sell on the one side and an intent to purchase on the other. A proposal which amounts to an invitation to do business cannot be turned into a sales agreement by ac-

Advertisements, price lists and circulars, announcing goods for sale at certain prices, are usually mere invitations for offers. Here the intention governs, and the language employed, coupled with the circumstances surrounding it, may make it an offer which may become a binding agreement. Ordinarily an offer may be withdrawn at any time before it is accepted, but notice of such revocation must be given. If no time is fixed for its expiration, an offer expires after a rea-

whether it has passed between the parties has been tween litigants in many important cases. What one

# ILLINOIS LAW UPHELD

In a case testing the validity of the Illinois motor vehicle law, the defendant was the general manager of a Chicago firm engaged in attaching truck units to car units and converting them into trucks. He ordered his workmen to change the engine numbers of six new cars which had just been delivered to No explanation was made for changing the numbers.

Upon conviction, the defendant appealed to the supreme court and attacked the constitutionality of the motor vehicle law, which prohibits changing or remov-

# UNIFORM SALES ACT

WHAT is known as the Uniform Sales Act has been enacted in several states and is being adopted in others. This is not any adoption of new fundamental principles but only codifying universally recognized rules of selling. When this act has been adopted by all states, citizens of one state may deal with those of any other in selling just as they deal with citizens of their own communities.

It would seem there could be no misunderstanding of the legal principles involved in sale of goods. Courts, however, prove this to be erroneous.

### TERM "SALE" DEFINED

In its general sense, a sale is a transfer of property for money or its equivalent. In its restricted sense it is defined

by Bouvier as "an agreement by which one of two transacting parties, called the seller, gives a thing in exchange for a certain price to the other party." This definition is the nucleus of all the laws of sales. The elements which distinguish a sale from other transfers lie in that they transfer absolute property in the subject of the sale and that it is for a price.

An exchange or barter is an exchange of goods for other goods, while in a sale the exchange is for money.

A pledge is a bailment made to secure a debt and the pledges secures only a special property in the thing pledged.

A bailment results where goods are placed in the hands of another, who receives possession for a particular purpose to be returned upon consummation of such purpose.

In a gift no consideration is given for the transfer of title.

A chattel mortgage passes title only as security subject to the provision that title shall revest in the one giving the mortgage upon his satisfying its terms.

# ELEMENTS NECESSARY IN SALE

A valid sale rests upon the same requirements as any other contract. The subject matter of a sale is called "goods" and includes all personal property except money. These goods must be in exing manufacturers' serial numbers from motor vehicles. He urged that this section violated the state constitution, as well as the constitution of the United States, in that it deprived him of his liberty and property without due course of law and denied him the equal protection of the law.

In reviewing the case the court held that the police power of a state is an attribute of sovereignty and that it rests with the legislature to decide when its exercise is necessary to meet existing evils. Other contentions were overruled.—People vs. Johnson, 123 N. E. 543.

### GUARANTEE CASE IS CITED

The remedies of a buyer of a motor vehicle upon breach of warranty are laid down in a recent case. A man purchased a truck, representing to the agent that he desired a truck suitable for hauling freight and merchandise over a certain state road about 40 miles. The agent agreed to furnish a suitable truck as guaranteed by the terms of contract.

The buyer alleged the truck as received by him did not come up to the specifications in that it did not have a maximum live load capacity of 10,000 lb. and was therefore of no use to him and caused him to lose both trade and customers. Being unable to induce the manufacturer to receive the truck back, he used it for fifteen months, when he sold it and brought suit against the seller.

The court held that upon a breach of the warranty two remedies were open to the buyer, either to return the chattel within a reasonable time after discovering the breach and recover the amount paid, or retain the chattel and sue upon the contarct for damages resulting from the breach of warranty.

# WHERE REFUND IS REQUIRED

In a Pennsylvania case the dealer sold a car under agreement that if the car was not satisfactory the purchase money would be refunded or another car given instead; and if the second likewise proved unsatisfactory, same might be returned and the dealer would refund all the money he had paid. The purchaser testified that the first car was not satisfactory and was returned, at which time he received a larger car, paying the dealer the difference in price. The purchaser claimed this car, too, was unsatisfactory. He repeatedly offered to return it but was requested not to do so but to allow the seller to remedy to seller and suit brought to recover the amount paid.

The dealer contended that the purchaser was obliged to return the car promptly after his discovery that it was not satisfactory. The purchaser answered that he retained the machine at the solicitation of the dealer to allow

him to make it satisfactory. The court held the law applicable to be that "he who requests another to act, or not to act, cannot punish that other for complying with the request."

On the question as to whether the car was satisfactory the trial court instructed the jury that the purchaser must have "some reasonable objection that would make him dissatisfied with it," and if the defects in the machine were "suc has could be remedied by some ordinary adjustment which defendants testified they were willing to make" the refusal to keep it would not be reasonable. But the supreme court overruled this, saying that it has been held uniformly that such objections need only be made in good faith and not merely capriciously to justify the returning of an article, because it violates a contract that it shall be satisfactory. Judgment against the dealer was affirmed.

# OPTION BINDS SALE CONTRACT

Q—I bought a second hand Ford car from a man and offered a check for \$385, the price wanted for the car. He refused to take a personal check, but took \$5 to bind the sale and I promised to bring the cash the next day. I was there at the appointed time, but found out that after I had left someone else offered him \$425 for his car, which had already been sold to me for \$385. Can I collect the difference between the price I paid for the car and the price it was finally sold for? I have his receipt for \$5 and he is still holding my deposit.—A Reader, Chicago.

A—Assuming you have a valid contract, as the facts would indicate, you are entitled to damages for breach of the contract with you. It appears only the amount of damages need be considered.

# "The Kerosene Maelstrom"

DETROIT, Editor Motor Age—No doubt your unfavorable comments on kerosene carburetion, under the editorial "The Kerosene Maelstrom," in the July 24 issue of Motor Age, were made in all good faith, but the statements were so sweeping that we must take exception, insofar as they might apply to our own product. The following paragraph is called to your attention:

We realize now that kerosene is difficult. Burning methods must change. What factors will change we do not know exactly. So let us not deceive ourselves into thinking that we are burning kerosene successfully, for we are not. When rapid changes in tractor drawbar load can be handled without having the engine falter, hesitate, gasp, emit volumes of unburned gas and then, in a dying state, recover itself, we will have near perfection.

In taking exception to this statement, we might first call your attention to the fact that there are over 50,000 Holley kerosene carbureters in use on three different makes of tractors.

These installations have operated so successfully that we have no reason, in any way, for changing our method of burning the kerosene charge.

The Holley All-Fuel carbureter is successfully burning kerosene oil as tractor fuel. Rapid changes in tractor drawbar load can be, and are being, handled without having the engine "falter, hesitate, gasp, emit volumes of unburned gas, etc.," nor are we having any other difficulty in the way of carburetion.

With our carburetion system it is possible to shift from gasoline to kerosene in less than 60 sec. after starting. A tractor equipped with this carburetion system will run on kerosene without smoke.

In some cases we have shown horsepower equal to that developed by gasoline carbureter equipment. In any case we can show within 10 per cent of the horsepower developed by any gasoline carbureter. We can operate at a cost approximately 40 per cent cheaper than where gasoline is used as fuel.

We can bear out these assertions in actual tests, and we will be glad to demonstrate the facts to tractor buyers or tractor manufacturers.

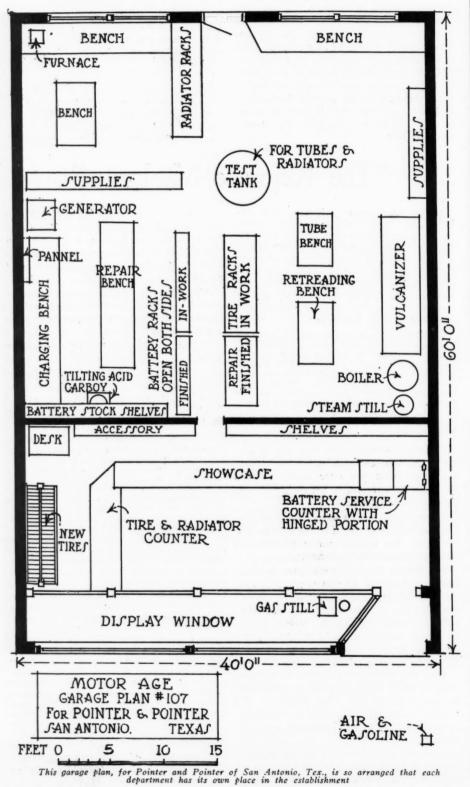
In your leading article of the July 24 issue you made statements which were in marked contrast to the editorial quoted when, in speaking of the poor showings in the short-time tests at the Wichita National Demonstration, you said:

An illuminating contrast to this inconsequential display were the two real tractor trials which culminated at Wichita this week. One of these, the Parrett plowing test, in which 127 acres of wheat were harvested, was under supervision of the state college. The other was the Fordson test staged by the Wichita distributer, in which a continuous operating trial was made under the supervision of the Wichita Chamber of Commerce. Both were so arranged as to give results which were really valuable, and the amount of interest displayed and business prospects coming therefrom are indicative of their value. The Fordson distributer and the Parrett company in particular are to be complimented on the foresight they used in making these trials.

Not only do they serve as wonderful demonstrations of what these two tractors can accomplish, but what in reality is of more importance, they provide the manufacturers of the Fordson and Parrett machines with a wealth of information which will be immensely valuable and which could be obtained in no other way.

We desire to state that the Fordson demonstrated in Wichita did use the Holley vaporizer and was using kerosene oil.—George M. Holley, president Holley Carbureter Co,

# Garage Dlanning Service Station Arrangements



MOTOR AGE is receiving many inquiries for garage plans which do not give sufficient information to permit an intelligent reply. There are certain things which should be known to lay out the proper plan for a garage, and inquirers are urged in asking for such plans to be sure to include the following information:

Rough pencil sketch showing size and shape of plot and its relation to streets and alleys.

What departments are to be operated and how large it is expected they will be.

Number of cars on the sales floor.

Number of cars it is expected to garage.

Number of men employed in repair shop.

And how much of an accessory department is anticipated.

# No. 107

# Allowing Space for Departments

—We are planning to build a radiator, storage battery, vulcanizing and tire service station on plans sketched herewith. The estimated size is somewhere in the neighborhood of 40 by 60 ft., possibly smaller, if arrangements can be made to supply ample room for each department. If you can help us to eliminate floor space that is not necessary to carry on a medium-sized business of this nature, it will be a great help to us and save us many dollars, no doubt. We also, if possible, would like an estimate on what it will cost as per your plans.

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We wish to build this service station with a rough brick front, hollow tile sides and rear, skylight and some kind of good flooring for retail department and concrete floor for other departments.—Pointer & Pointer, San Antonio, Tex.

We believe your experience will determine the division of space between the departments in this shop, that is, the amount of business each department does will decide how large its share of floor space will be. Of course, tires are bulky and need more space than batteries, and the battery repairs in a certain community always will be greated than the radiator repairs. Consequently, we have given the tire department the bulk of the space with batteries and radiators in diminishing proportion.

In this respect, we advise a consid-

erable flexibility until your business gets established and to gain this flexibility, we show the partitions between the departments as not partitions at all but made up of racks and banks of shelves which can be moved about as need demands. In fact, the only parts which are stationary are the charging bench, the vulcanizers and still, some of the wall shelves and the two benches at the rear.

Your door to the repairshop should be behind the counter to keep idlers from going in and interrupting the men. You should have a good show window. L. S. Armstrong, in the Aug. 7 issue of Motor Age recommends that the water still be set up in the show window. It will attract attention, and it might be a business getter to offer, as some do, free distilled water just as you give free air for tires.

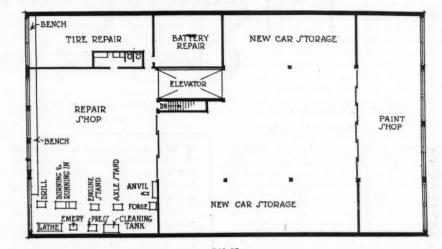
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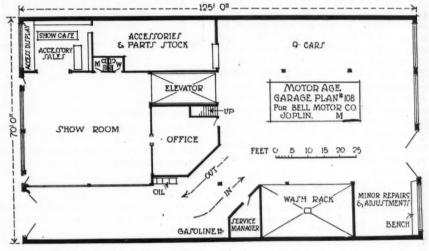
# Cannot Give Specifications

Q—We are going to build a sales and service station. The lot is 70 by 125 ft. The building will be two stories. We would like to have you give us that information you can in the way of plans and specifications.—Bell Motor Co., Joplin, Mo.

We cannot give you any specifications, as that is more than we attempt to do. We, however, have made a layout for a two-story service station on a lot 70 by 125 ft. It is not as complete as it might have been had you given us more details to work with. The posts might be eliminated on the upper floor by trussing the roof.

If more room is desirable in the office, it can be gained at the expense of the showroom, which is probably larger than necessary unless a large line of cars is carried.





The Bell Motor Co. can change this lan slightly to get more room in the office, but the showroom will be reduced in size somewhat

# Holland Distributer Tells of Situation Abroad

# Here Looking for Agencies That Can Send Him Cars and Trucks

NEW YORK, Sept. 30—"An automotive dealer with a motive, but without anything to sell," is the way in which Philip J. Stokvis, managing director of W. J. Stokvis, Ltd., of Arnhem, Amsterdam and The Hague, Holland, describes himself. He is here to amend the latter condition by arranging agencies for cars, trucks and motorcycles.

Stokvis is no novice. He commenced with a plain-bearing bicycle in 1885, and has been agent for the British Humber company since 1887. In 1895 he took over the Dunlop Tire Co. agency for Holland and in 1897 commenced relations with the United States by importing Gormully & Jeffery bicycles.

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In 1898 the firm imported a two-cylinder English Daimler with solid tires and in 1900 Philip Stokvis, accompanied by Scheltema Beduin (then the world's tricycle champion) drove a pneumatic-tired Daimler to Switzerland and back.

Stokvis has held the Panhard agency since 1901 and has imported Dodge, Jef-

fery and National cars until overseas trade was stopped in 1917. He is president of the dealers' section of the Netherlands Cycle Dealers' Association.

Years of experience of European conditions in the automotive industry, past and present, indicate, in Stokvis' opinion, that there is little improvement likely in the near future. He has traveled widely throughout the continent in the last few months, visiting manufacturing centers, and his conclusion is that it will be many months before production gets under way.

Even when cars and trucks are available in appreciable numbers, the European dealers' troubles will be far from at an end. Prices have sky-rocketed to a point where the car has become a luxury, available only to the select few. Truck prices may advance to such an extent that operation without actual loss will be impossible.

There is one point which Stokvis wishes to emphasize while in this country of enormous distances. He finds the average American export man is inclined to forget that the population of Holland is considerably less than that of New York and that its area is but little more than half that of Lake Michigan. For these reasons, says Stokvis, the country can be handled best by a single responsible distributer or dealer. He mentions Holland because his primary interests are in that country, but points out that there are other small countries in Europe in which similar conditions prevail.

Hitherto licenses granted in Holland have been based on cylinder bore which is to the disadvantage of the low-priced car with a bore of more than 3½ in. A case in point is that of the Ford, which has been so over-taxed on account of its 3¾ in. cylinder bore that there are but few in use. A new law which goes into force next January, will amend the registration regulations.

Stokvis expects to remain in the United States until early in October.

# The Readers' Clearing House Questions and Answers

# Miscellaneous

# Maxwell Gearset Trouble

Q—What makes a 1917 or 1918 Maxwell jump out of high gear? When the shifting lever is pulled into high, it will not go into mesh. A new high-speed gear and a new drive gear have been put on this car, and it does not help. The gears work free on shaft, and the clutch works free on drive gear. There is nothing wrong with the shifting fork.—Lloyd Leefers, Carlinville Garage Co., Carlinville, Ill.

A slight oversight on the part of a mechanic is generally the trouble in a case like this in that he may forget to replace two little washers that are shown at A in Fig. 2. These washers, as will be noted, are to be placed at either end of the bushing in the pocket gears. The absence of these washers, which are about the size of a quarter, permits the pocket gear to move forward and this prevents the dog clutch from properly engaging, so that it is apt to jump out of engagement. See if these washers have been left out in reassembling the transmission.

# Gears on 1913 Marion

Q—Illustrate and give adjustments of steering gear on a 1913 Marion.—E. W. Sutton, Terre Haute, Ind.

A Warner gear was used on this model of the Marion and calls for simplicity in the matter of adjustment. By referring to Fig. 3., the idea will be clear. Immediately at the top of the housing of the steering gears proper will be found a bolt that holds the halves of the case together, as shown at A. Loosen this locknut thereon, and this will permit you to turn the adjusting nut B—to the right to tighten and to the left to loosen.

This is all there is to the adjustment for up and down motion of the steering shaft and also for some of the play in the gears. If the play is excessive and if the car has a tendency to run over Conducted by Roy E Berg

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the road, it is probable the steering arm on the squared shaft, shown at C, is somewhat loose. Tighten at the locknut D to take up this play. If it cannot be drawn up enough to tighten, then file out a little of the slot and the difficulty will be remedied easily. If there is still play in the entire steering outfit, look for worn bushings on the steering arms.

# Overhauling Ford Completely

Q—A 1916 Ford touring car has run 15,000 miles without adjustments. The differential has a hum which is particularly

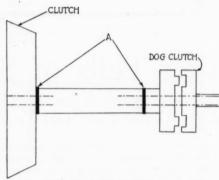


Fig. 2—Omission of washers at A will cause trouble

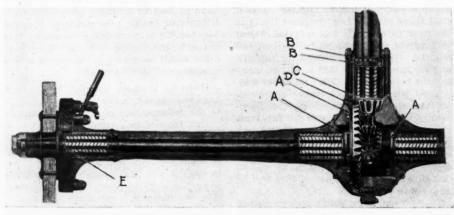


Fig. 1-Rear axle of Ford car, showing adjustments

noticeable when on a down grade with the engine just pulling slightly. Give adjustment to counteract the wear.

2—Would a ball or roller thrust bearing be better than the regular Ford differential bearing? How is a new differential thrust bearing installed?

3—Should a new crankshaft thrust bearing be installed, or is it adjustable?

4—Can oversize pistons be installed, and is it advisable?

5-Would they require lapping in? Give method of lapping in.

6-Would the camshaft bearings need renewing? How is this done?

7—Instruct how to take up play in the rear axleshaft? Would new bearings be sufficient or should the shaft be renewed also?

8—Give working outline for overhauling car.—V. Lewis Phipps, Bruceville, Ind.

1—No car should be driven 15,000 miles without adjustment. To make up for the wear on the thrust washers calls for shimming with thin washers or replacement with entirely new thrust washers. It will be necessary to remove the rear axle and open the case, thus exposing the differential.

The center of the casing should be placed over a pail or box to support it and at the same time permit access to the parts, while the outer end may be supported by a box or block. Having opened the case, it will readily be seen how the thrust washers come out and how they should be replaced. If the old washers are to be used, then it will be necessary to take up the wear by placing back of the outside washer thin washers of some sort to shove the original thrust washers closer to the differential. By referring to Fig. 1, the location of the thrust washers may be seen, being shown at A.

# Readjusting Pinions

The pinion will also have to be readjusted, for it is safe to believe the thrust here is also worn. This is shown at B. In case this needs replacement the cotter pin at the end of the pinion must be removed, the nut back of it taken off and the pinion driven off ,which will permit the shaft to be withdrawn. Then thin washers may be placed back of the ball thrust collar at B. It would be well to let the pinion C go into the ring gear D perhaps 0.003 in., so when the drive comes it will work back a little and the heels of the gears will come into line.

2—A ball thrust bearing will be far better than the steel-bronze-steel thrust used in the Ford, as the wear will be lessened and friction saved. Several such bearings are made especially to fit the Ford, and all that would be necessary would be to dismantle the rear axle, remove the old thrust washers and

insert the new ball thrust. Look in the advertising columns for something of the sort.

3—There is no thrust on the crankshaft, the bearings taking care of this in a Ford and in many other cars. This trouble generally is remedied by putting in a new main bearing at the back end of the crankshaft. But it is hardly likely this is necessary, although it will be if there is sufficient wear to permit too great a distance between the coils and the magnets on the flywheel magneto.

4-It is possible and advisable, provided there is considerable piston slap, which there should not be in that amount of running. But it will do little good to install new pistons and rings unless the cylinders are reground so each is perfectly true and all of an exact size. Then this calls for oversize pistons and also new rings. If the cylinders are practically true and still there is a slap, then it would be possible to turn oversize pistons down to fit within 0.001 and then lap them in until you have about 0.002 or 0.0025 clearance. How to lap in a piston was treated exhaustively in Motor Age Feb. 13, 1919.

6—It is impossible to tell whether the camshaft bushings would need replacing without an inspection. If necessary the engine will have to come out, the camshaft gear be removed, the camshaft taken out and the new bushings put on. The new bushings will have to be reamed out to fit the wear on the camshaft. In replacing the camshaft be sure the gear is set properly with the gear on the crankshaft. Marks will be found on each and the gears should be meshed where these marks come.

7—While the axleshaft may need replacement, it is not likely or probable new bearings are needed, for they should wear for years. If it is found they are needed, it will be an opportune time to do the work when the axle is out. After taking the wheels off by removing the hub cap and drawing the wheel, the axle housing cap E should be removed, and then the axle and bearing can be removed and replaced.

8-Overhauling a car requires more than a working outline if to be satisfac-It depends upon the condition of the car to determine how far to go and what to do. By the time you have gone over the rear axle, as probably you will decide to do, you will have that part completely finished and then all that will be necessary will be to tackle the engine and transmission. If you have decided to put in new pistons and new bushings for the camshaft, much of the work will have been accomplished, but it will be necessary to grind the valves, readjust the tappets, clean out the carbon, adjust the main and connecting rod bearings and renew the hose. Naturally every nut and bolt will be inspected, cleaned and tightened.

Likewise the transmission will require inspection, a cleaning and probably new bands on the various drums. The best way to know how to do this sort of work is to be a careful observer when dis-

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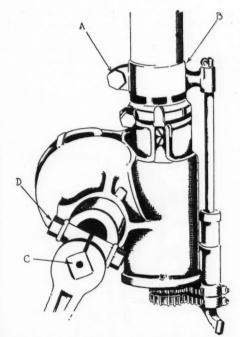


Fig. 3—Steering gear on 1913 Marion, showing adjustments

mantling the car or any of its parts and then to put things together in the reverse order. If possible it would be wise to have some assistance from a man who has had experience with a Ford, and with his help and advice and you doing the bulk of the work the job will be accomplished satisfactorily and cheaply.

Before you have torn the car down take the precaution to clean out the radiator and water circulating system, so this will have been accomplished before the new hose is put on. This is a simple job. Take common washing soda, dissolve a couple of pounds in a pail of water, drain the water from your radiator and engine, add enough water to the solution to fill the system and pour in. Do not let any touch clothes or paint, as it will ruin them. Run the engine a day or two and then draw off the solution and flush with clear water at least twice and all the accumulation of rust and corrosion will have been removed.

# Trend Toward Light Car

Q—Does not the light four or six of today equal the performance of large cars of a few years ago? For instance, light fours like Allen, Hupmobile and Essex will throttle down to 5 m.p.h. in high and speed up to about 60 m.p.h. And among the light sixes. Grant, Oldsmobile, Oakland and Cleveland will match the speed and throttle down to 2 m.p.h. on high. Isn't this good? Do the signs point toward the light car as the future type?—H. Temple Deamon, Columbus, Ohio.

Unquestionably, the design of motor cars has improved greatly in the last few years. You speak of four-cylinder cars doing 5 m.p.h. on high gear, which is rather fast when it is considered that many of them will go slower than this. The Essex for instance, and also the Dodge. If the designs being developed in Europe are any criterion then the light car is the car of the future. In Europe the price of gasoline has advanced to ridiculously high figures and in some countries a dollar a gallon is not an uncommon figure. With the price of fuel this high, light cars are made necessary simply because of their economical performances. It is predicted that in a few years distant gasoline will be a thing of memory only and the fuel to be used at that time undoubtedly will cost money, unless some new developmnet in the production of benzol or alcohol is reached.

# Soldering Formula

Q—Publish formula for soldering iron, if such can be soldered. There is a small leak in the waterjacket, and we do not care to take it out to have it welded.—Frank F. Prisbyl, Bison, Okla.

This is not a place for solder and there are better ways to make the repair. If the crack were minute, you could close it by applying a solution of salammoniac, which will rust and close the aperature. If it is slightly larger, use litharge, which may be obtained at any drugstore. This will come in powdered form and should be mixed with glycerir until a workable paste has been formed, that is, of such consistency as will permit it to be worked into the crevice with the aid of the finger or thumb.

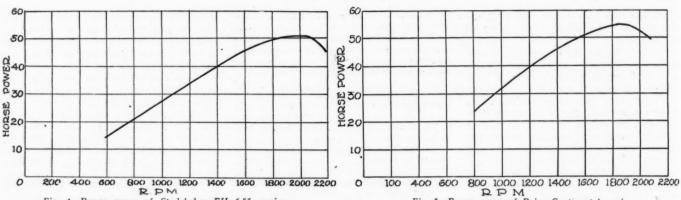


Fig. 4-Power curve of Studebaker EH 6-55 engine

Fig. 5-Power curve of Paige Continental engine

Before this is used run the engine until it is good and warm; then drain the water. The remaining heat will dry the metal. By pressing in the litharge paste and leaving at least 24 hrs., a good repair will have been effected and it will last, too. For safety, however, you can put a plate of metal-brass or something of the nature—over the crack, using small machine screws to hold it in place. The plate should be peaned to fit the shape of the waterjacket where the crack is located. Bore holes and tap about 1/2 in. apart and when the plate is in place-over the litharge paste-a permanent repair will have been effected.

### Making a Dodge Fast

Q-What speed could be gained from a Dodge car if it were rebuilt for dirt track racing?

2-What size and make carbureter would you advise for this car for racing? 3-Should a sixteen-valve head be used, or should the valve seats be enlarged and larger valves used?

-Where can a sixteen-valve head be obtained?

5-Could the old camshaft be used? 6—How much does the starting and lighting system weigh?

7-Would it add to the speed if the heel

of the cam were ground off. 8—I expect to install an Atwater Kent system using dry cells and a magneto. Would you recommend this?

9-Could the car be started from the magneto by hand cranking?

10-If larger valves are installed, would the speed and power be improved by installing a different camshaft, or would it be advisable to change the timing of the old camshaft?

11-I intend to rebore the cylinders. How much larger could the bore be made?

12-Should I install aluminite pistons? 13-Should the body be lowered, and

how should this be done? 14-What size tires are best for track

15-What size or ratio of gears would be best for dirt track work?

16-Would this car be more speedy than a rebuilt Ford?

17-What bore and stroke did the engine in Barney Oldfield's Golden Submarine have?

18-What make was the engine?

19-Was this car a standard make or a special job?-Edwin Brandvold, Poplar, Mont.

1-There are so many things to be taken into consideration in the matter of gaining speed in a rebuilt car that nothing would be accurate except a trial under the most favorable conditions. Off-

hand it is safe to say the speed to be gained could easily go well above 60 m.p.h. Yet, where one man could get 60 m.p.h. another might be able to boost it up another 10 m.p.h., while still another would fall under the 60-mile mark. Anything is possible, and if enough time and money and experimenting and rebuilding were carried through, perhaps close to 100 m.p.h. could be obtained. Building a racing car, keeping it up to top-notch speed or outfitting an old car for racing purposes is an expensive affair when maximum results are to be obtained. If you were familiar with what race drivers have to go through to obtain best results, you would appreciate more fully the meaning of this statement.

2-A carbureter, if 11/4 in., would be about all that could be used on a Dodge manifold. As to the make, Motor Age cannot give recommendations. Master, Miller, Rayfield and Stromberg carbureters, however, are largely used in racing, and each has its own points of advantage in some respects. Any good carbureter that will give a sufficient charge of both air and gas and can be properly regulated ought to do the work.

3-A sixteen-valve outfit would give better results, of course, but cannot be obtained. The only sixteen-valve outfit on the market is made for the Ford. So it will be necessary to work on the present valves and enlarge them all they will stand and to make sure the inside of the inlet manifold is as smooth as possible so the ingoing gas will not be restricted in any way. All sharp corners can be eased off a trifle, the metal can be made smooth and particular attention should be given to seeing that there is none of the gasket at the flange protruding inside to stop the easy flow of the mixture.

4-See No. 3.

5-It would not be advisable to alter the camshaft until you have found this is necessary—that is, when, after all other things have been done, the car is not fast enough. Of course, a specially designed camshaft would be preferable, but this will mean a special job after a lot of careful figuring; even then it might not be just what is wanted and another might have to be made. In making racing engines, it must be remembered, the designers come as near to perfection as possible, and then it generally is found this is about half way. Experimenting in valve sizes, valve opening and closing, compression and a hundred other things determine what is necessary to produce the best results in this matter.

6-Removing the battery, generator, starting motor and all wires would save 100 lb. It is not so much the dead weight that would interfere as would the drag occasioned by the operation of the generator.

7-It must be understood that any change in the shape of the cams will mean an entirely different opening and closing. We believe you will get better results by doing a little experimenting in the matter of valve setting; at least it will cost nothing more than a little labor.

8-For strictly racing purposes we would suggest that a high-tension magneto be used. There are several reasons for this and one is that it simplifies the matter of installation and reduces the number of wires; thereby lessening the chance for trouble from this source. No racing man would think of bothering with such a thing as a starter; it would complicate the assembly and add weight. There is no necessity for two ignition systems inasmuch as they cannot well be timed together and besides there is usually little trouble from ignition unless it is with plugs.

9-Yes, without material trouble. Many

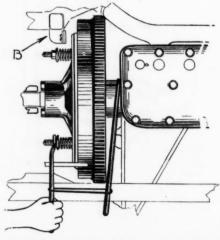


Fig. 6—B may not come into engageent with the clutch cone here

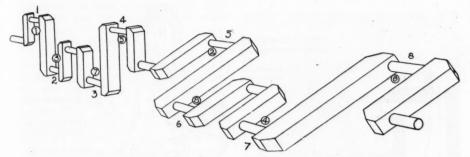


Fig. 7--Crankshaft used on Duesenberg eight-cylinder racing engine

cars equipped with only a high-tension magneto are capable of starting with a quarter turn of the starting crank.

10-Try changing the setting of the old camshaft before attempting to change the design; you probably will have all the speed the car can stand on a dirt track.

11-Do not attempt to take off more than just enough to make the cylinder walls perfectly true. The amount that could be taken off with safety would amount to so little it would not pay to take the chance of ruining the whole block. You might be able to take off 1/32 in., which would increase the bore 1/16 in., but this would be very little in the way of increased volume, as it would add about 7 cu. in. capacity to the cylinder. If you could take off 1/16 in., then it would add about 14 cu. in., in round numbers.

12-Yes; something of the kind, for they will be lighter and produce a snappier engine and one that can be turned up faster.

13-Remove the body entirely and build in a couple of bucket seats, which can be made or secured from motor car supply houses. You will have to make a frame of wood to fit the frame of the car and to this can be attached the bucket back of the seats and this should be arranged with a partition, so 5 gal. oil . can be carried in the smaller section. Both the gasoline tank and the oil tank should be fitted with pressure pump, so a supply of fuel and oil will be available at all times. A racing engine must have ample oil, and fuel is called for in larger quantities than in the case of a touring car. The hand pressure pump must be located conveniently to the mechanic. Ahead of the driver should be a deep cowl as a protection against the wind. Furthermore the steering post must be lowered so the wheel will be convenient to the driver in his lowered position. This is easily accomplished by securing it to the dash in a way similar to its present fastening.

14-Not over 32 by 4 in. for the Dodge, and wire wheels ought to be used, as they are lighter and more easily changed.

15-Again this calls for experimenting, but it would be desirable to have at least two sets, one a trifle higher than the other. In a long race the higher set can be used, while for short races the lower gear ratio will be desired. Try a 3 to 1 set and work from that. This is about all the engine can stand.

16-Some Ford cars have shown around 80 m.p.h., but it depends again upon the amount of work in each case. The sizes of the engines are similar, but probably the Ford can be stripped down to be considerably lighter than a Dodge.

17-Barney Oldfield's car has an engine with 3%-in. bore and 7-in. stroke.

18-Miller, made by Harry Miller of Los Angeles, Cal.

19-It was special all the way through. Gears Clash on Overland

-What causes the clashing, or rather banging, in the transmission of an Overland 83, when shifting gears, especially

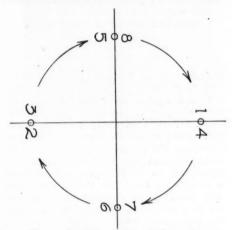


Fig. 8-Probable timing of Duesenberg engine

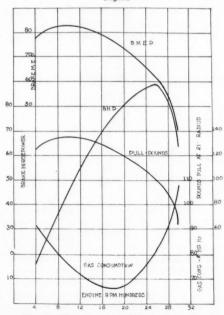


Fig. 9-Horsepower and torque curves of the Packard for 1919

when shifting from second to third speed? This car has run 19,000 miles and when the grease was changed last time the teeth on the gears did not appear worn, nor was there any grit in the old grease The clutch is worn some but do not believe this would account for the trouble. In shifting from second to third, unless time is taken for the clutch to slow down to just the right speed, when the jaws in the transmission meet, they go together with a loud band, which cannot help but do damage.—W. S. Robinson, Minneapolis Steel and Machinery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Because the leather on the clutch cone has become worn the lateral motion of the clutch is not fully taken up when the clutch pedal is depresed. The result of this is that the small brake, Fig. 6, B does not come into engagement with the back surface of the clutch cone. By adjusting the clutch cone withdrawing yoke so that contact is withdrawn the revolving of the cone will stop when the gears are to be shifted.

Speed of Ford Speedster

Q—Give suggestions for increasing speed of Ford speedster.—Douglas Patterincreasing son, Kenosha, Wis.

In Motor Age of June 20, 1918, two correspondents tell how they rebuilt Ford cars into speedsters, and this included about all that could be covered on the subject, including illustrations. In one case a Roof sixteen-valve head was used, Bosch magneto, 11/4-in. Master carbureter, high-speed camshaft, Lynite pistons, water circulator, irreversible steering gear, 18-in. steering wheel, 3 to 1 differential gears, 18-gal. gasoline tank, 3-gal. oil tank in the cowl, with hand force pump to the timing gears, special radiator and racing body. Of course, every part of the engine was gone over and carefully fitted and adjusted.

In the other case the car was underslung some 5 in., the frame was bent at the rear and spliced to make a 100-in. wheelbase. The gear ratio was 2% to 1, and the car made 60 m.p.h. In this case a Miller carbureter was installed. It is all a question of how much money and how much time you care to expend.

# Power Curve of Studebaker

Q-Publish power curve of the Studebaker EH 6-55 engine.

2-Publish power curve of the Paige

Continental engine. 3—Publish power curve of the Buick H engine.—Robert R. White, Gravette, Ark.

1-The Studebaker EH power curve is shown in Fig. 4.

2-The Paige 6-55 power curve is shown in Fig. 5.

3-The Buick power curve was shown in last week's issue.

# Timing of Duesenberg

Q-Instruct how to time the valves on 2—Publish cut of crankshaft.
3—What is the firing order?
4—Publish cut of valve timing to get

most revolutions per minute.-F. S. Wilson, Omaha, Neb.

1-We are unable to give the timing diagram for this Duesenberg engine. The maker is very secretive about this matter and talks about such things only to his chief designer.

2-The crankshaft is illustrated in Fig. 7. It will be noticed that the shaft is

merely two four-cylinder shafts placed together with an angle of 90 deg. between the two shafts.

3-The firing order we have reason to believe is 1-5-2-7-4-8-3-6.

4-We suppose that the timing as used gives about the fastest speed of the engine. As we said before, the exact timing of this engine is not known. However, the following timing gives a very close approximation to the correct setting of the valves: Exhaust valve opens 46 deg. before bottom center and closes 8 deg. after top center. The intake valve opens 4 deg. after top center and closes 42 deg. after bottom center.

# Ignition on Ford Speedster

Q-A Ford speedster has a large Stromcarbureter which has no needle valve. Instruct how to adjust same.

2-Would an Atwater Kent ignition system be as good for speed as a Bosch magneto?-Douglas Patterson, Kenosha, Wis.

1-The Stromberg concern makes a good many different models of carbureters. and without knowing the model no accurate directions for adjustment could be given. The carbureter is marked with a letter or combination of letter and number, and if you will send this to MOTOR AGE, the method of adjustment will be given.

2-No, although it would be better than the coil system.

# Fiber Timing Gears

Q-Would a fiber or fiberoid camshaft gear give better results than bronze in a 35 J. 1914 Mercer special engine?

Is it advisable to put in say, two 14-in. bronze plates riveted on each side of fiber, such as used on motor pinions, and rawhide gears or rivet the fiber direct to the metal hub and cut the teeth, giving them no metal support?

be purchased?--Where can they Clyde George, Denver, Colo.

1-Fiber gears when properly made will give good service and have been much used by foreign makers. They will not, however, serve better than the bronze gears, although they will perhaps not emit so much noise after a certain amount of wear has taken place. If the bronze gears are made properly and lined up carefully, they never will make

Oil pressure gauge and center bearing supply pipe Center bearing feed pipe Oil filler pipe FROM DIL Connecting rod Splash spoon Oit pump Splash trough TO ENGINE Upper level pet cock Lower level petcock Suction sip Drain plug 1919 Chevrolet 490 Oil reservoir

Fig. 11-Lubrication system used on 1919

enough noise to annoy you and they may be depended upon to give service.

2-If they are to be used, the better method would be to sandwich the fiber between the bronze plates, as suggested, and they should be pressed in addition. You still will have 1/2 in. of bronze to contend with, and so where will the gain come in?

3-Some Denver supply house can obtain them for you, or consult the advertising columns of Motor Age.

#### Bore and Stroke of Old Engines

Q-What was the bore and stroke of the following engines, and did they have detachable heads? Chalmers 30, 1910, White 30, Lozier 4, also the 1915 Farmack and smallest Jackson 8 .- L. M. Soneder, Topeka, Kan.

1-Not stating the years of manufacture compels a somewhat lengthy answer, for most of these concerns made four-cylinder engines from 1918 on. The Chalmers M30K was made in 1910, 1911 and 1912 and the bore was 4 in. and stroke 41/2 in. This engine did not have a detachable head but the intake valve was within a cage, which in turn was set in a pocket in the head of the cylinder and operated by a rocker arm, while the exhaust was operated by a pushrod " from the camshaft, as in the case of an L-head engine. Four-cylinder engines also were made by Chalmers in 1912, 1913 and 1914, the size being 41/4 by 51/4.

In 1909, 1910 and 1911 the 40 had a 5 by 4% engine, and in 1909 there was also an engine 37/7 by  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in.

The Jackson built only one size of eight-cylinder car, this being 3 by 31/4 in., and this is the size for 1916, 1917 and

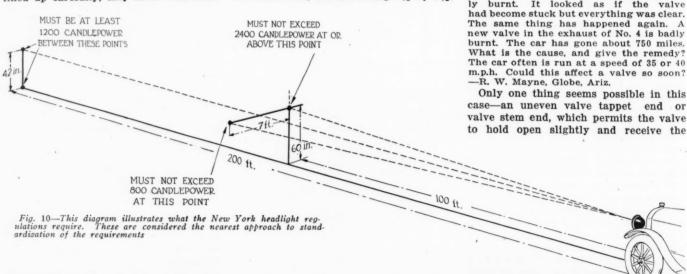
The Farmack was afterward known as the Drexel and had an overhead camshaft and consequently a detachable The cylinder size was 31/2 by 5 in.

In 1911 to 1915 the White engine was 334 by 51% in.; also from 1911 to 1914 there was a 4½ by 5¾ size; in 1915 the dimensions were 41/4 by 63/8 in.; in 1917 41/4 by 53/4 and after that the sixteenvalve job ran 41/4 by 53/4 in. None of the old models had detacabble heads.

Lozier was a consistent builder fours. Prior to 1914 the engines were T-head, while those after that time were detachable. The sizes were many, so far as cylinder dimensions were concerned, so that little information can be gained unless you know the exact model. The sizes ran as follows: In 1908, 5% by 6, 45% by 51/2 and 51/4 by 51/2 in.; 1909, 5¼ by 5¼ in.; 1910, 5% by 5¼ in.; 1911, 5% by 6 in.; 1912, 4% by 6 in.; 1914-15. 41/4 by 61/2 in.; 1916-17-18, 41/4 by 61/2 in.; 1918,

# Setting Dodge Valve Tappets

Q-All of the valves on a 1917 Dodge were ground three weeks ago. In the exhaust of No. 4 cylinder the valve was badly burnt. It looked as if the valve had become stuck but everything was clear. The same thing has happened again. A new valve in the exhaust of No. 4 is badly The car has gone about 750 miles. What is the cause, and give the remedy? The car often is run at a speed of 35 or 40 Could this affect a valve so soon?



flame more or less at all times. The quality and quantity of the mixture must be the same in one cylinder as in another. If the top of the valve tappet or the bottom of the stem is not even, an adjustment may have been made with the low part in engagement, so when the high spot comes into action the valve does not close fully. It may also be the valve does not rotate, as it would do to some extent if perfectly free.

Have the ends of the valves and also the tappets ground off exactly square and then allow about 0.003 clearance for expansion of the stems and tappets. Do not forget that a better working engine will result by having a little too much valve clearance than too close a fit, which will hold the valve from entirely closing when the engine becomes hot. If you are in the habit of running the car 35 or 40 m.p.h. to any extent, we would suggest you set the tappets so when the engine is good and hot, after an hour's run, there would still be clearance. This will make a little more noise from the tappets, but it will at the same time make a better running engine.

# Valve Timing for 3500 R.P.M.

Q—Publish best valve timing for an engine with 3½-in. bore and 5-in. stroke light rods, aluminite pistons, valves, 2 1/6-in., six cylinders and balanced crankshaft. We desire the engine to turn over 3500 r.p.m.—Frank M. Allen, Auto & Aeroplane Racing Co., Tulsa, Okla.

We do not say the valve timing given in the following is the best but it will permit of about the maximum ability from the engine. Design your camshaft and set it so the intake valve opens 7 deg. after top center and closes 42 deg. after bottom dead center. The exhaust valve should open 5 deg. before bottom dead center and close 8 deg. after top center. Measured in inches this timing is expressed as the intake opening when the piston has moved 1/64 in. on its downward stroke and closing when the piston has moved 17/32 in. upward on its compression stroke. The exhaust will open 57/64 in. before the piston has reached bottom center and will close 1/32 in. after the piston leaves top center.

This timing, while it will permit of high speed, will not allow the engine to develop 3500 r.p.m., and frankly we believe no timing wil permit of this speed unless the engine is designed for the speed.

### Knight Engines a Success?

Q—What faults or disadvantages have the Knight-valve engine that it is not more generally in use? Is there ever any trouble caused in any way by the sleeves, pistons or any part of the engine becoming too hot due to the difficulty of the intense heat escaping to the water through the sleeves and the films of oil between them, the oil being an exceedingly poor conductor of heat? Is the Knight sleeve-valve engine a thorough success?

2—What economy of fuel does the steam motor car show?

3—Why is it not more generally in use? —E. H. Blackly, Boulder, Col.

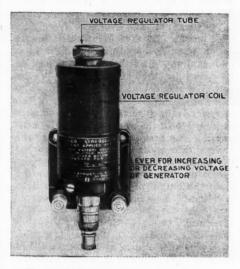


Fig. 12—This shows the lever for increasing or decreasing the voltage of the 1913

Cadillac



Fig. 13—Exterior view of the Delco mercury regulator

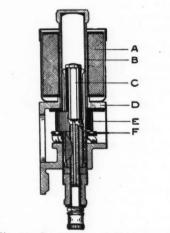


Fig. 14—Cross-section of Delco mercury....
regulator

1—We judge by the nature of your inquiry that it is your desire to know why, if the Knight engine is all that the makers claim for it in their advertisements, it is not in more universal use. The answer is that the expense of the engine is greater than that of a like-sized engine of poppet-valve construction. Prominent automotive engineers said when the first Knight engines were introduced that

the principle of the Knight engine was very poor because heat transference through three oil films was too great a disadvantage for a thorough cooling system. They cited the experimental case where heat radiation of steam radiators reduced 80 per cent because an oil film was alowed to collect on the inside surface of the radiator.

While the facts in this case cannot be denied, it seems rather a poor criticism at best. Performance is the only basis for making a reasonable comparison. If an engine performs the duties that it has been designed for, and does so economically and efficiently, what more can one ask? For ordinary touring car and taxicab work, the Knight engine has stood up under the most severe service.

2—Gallon for gallon and car weight for car weight, the steam car at ordinary touring speeds is just as economical as the gas car, but since the steam car uses kerosene instead of gasoline for its fuel, and because kerosene costs about one-half as much as gasoline, the operating cost is reduced accordingly.

3—The cost of the steam car is perhaps the biggest limiting factor in its general use. If a steam car was produced whose cost would be in the neighborhod of \$1,200 to \$1,500 and whose operating simplicity was equal to that of the higher-priced steam cars, there is very litle doubt but what these cars would be almost as popular as the Buick or some other car of equal fame.

# Power Curve of Packard

Q-What road speed does a Dodge Brothers car have at 1000 r.p.m.?

2-What road speed does a 1919 Packard have at 1000 r.p.m.?

3—Publish chart giving fuel consumption, torque and horsepower curve of the Packard Twin-Six engine, 1919 model.—Ammon H. Kreider, Lebanon, Pa.

1—At 1000 r.p.m. the Dodge car makes a road speed of 23 m.p.h.

2—The Packard car makes a road speed of 23.5 m.p.h. at 1000 r.p.m engine speed.

3-See Fig. 9.

# Lubrication

Sight-Feed Oiler

Q—Publish diagram showing how to connect a sight-feed oiler to 1916 Chevrolet 490.—Robert E. Clawson, Springfield, III.

A sight gage can be secured from any gage maker and should be secured to the dash of the car. The piping system on the Chevrolet engine is shown in Fig. 11. The pipe from the oil pump should be disconnected at the engine and an extension run to the top connection of the gage. From the lower connection of the gage a pipe should be run to the engine oil lead connection. With an arrangement of this kind all the oil pumped to the engine will pass through the sight dash indicator. Care should be taken to see that the pipes are tightened or else leaks will develop and the oil consumption without apparent reason will be excessively high.

# The Electric System

# Standard Headlight Regulations

Q—Publish standard regulations for headlight requirements.—M. Hayburn, Wisconsin Magneto Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

In general the laws of the various states merely state that it is necessary for a vehicle to have a light, and for motor cars that the light be of sufficient power to illuminate objects satisfactorily at a distance of 200 to 250 ft. In New York, the greatest strides have been made for the standardization of headlights. In brief the requirements of the New York law, which are the most complete of all laws, are:

1—The candlepower must be at least 1200 at a distance of 200 ft. in front of the car and at a point between the roadway and at 42 in above it.

2—The candlepower must not exceed 2400 at a distance of 100 ft. in front of the car and at a point 60 in. or any higher above the road.

3—The candlepower must not exceed 800 at a distance of 100 ft. in front of the car at a point of 60 in. above the road, when measured 7 ft. to the left of the center of the car. The illustration in Fig. 10 shows the application of these requirements.

Regulations as contained in all the state laws have been published in Moror Age from time to time and no doubt will be published again, but it is impracticable to give a complete digest here.

# Cadillac Mercury Regulator

Q-Instruct how to cut down amperage on a 1913 Cadillac. It now charges about 30 amp. at 25 m.p.h.—V. S. Jackson, Holliday's Cave, W. Va.

The current and voltage regulation used on the 1913 Cadillac depends for its action upon the floating of a tube in a mercury well. As the float is raised in its level by the lifting action of the solenoid, the resistance wire secured to the end of the float is raised out of the mercury, thus inserting more resistance in series with the shunt field of the generator. The first attempt at lowering the charge rate should be made by moving the indicator on the front of the voltage regulator. By moving this lever to the right the output of the generator will be decreased. See Fig. 12. If this operation does not reduce the voltage of the generator enough, there is probably something wrong with the mercury tube. It seems very much as though the full force of the generator is being impressed upon the battery without any regulation of any kind.

If the indicator does not reduce the charge rate enough, remove the cap on the voltage regulator and observe the float in the well. Does this rise and fall when the float is depressed with a small bent wire? If not there is something wrong with the mercury level or else the plunger has become stuck to the walls of the cylinder through the loss of the oil which covers the surface of the mercury.

When the engine is speeded up the float should rise, because the height of the float is proportional to the voltage of the generator and, consequently, its

speed. It is also possible that the solenoid coil in Fig. 14 has become disconnected

### Using Benzol as Fuel

Q—What is your opinion as to the advisability of the use of benzol as a fuel for a motor car engine. We are aware it is being used by several large corporations with great success. Could these same results be obtained by anyone?

2—Can it leave any permanent injury to the engine if tried? I have been informed that it leaves deposits on the valve seatings. How would it affect a six-cylinder Buick and a twelve-cylinder Packard engine?—A. A. Alexander, Chicago.

1—Benzol as a motor fuel is just as good as gasoline and if compared according to heat units per pound of fuel is a little bit better than gasoline. Benzol when used in an internal combustion engine requires more air than gasoline for its complete combustion, because of the higher carbon content. If sufficient air is not mixed with benzol, a heavy, sooty deposit of carbon will be formed in the engine. As long as the air mixture is proper, anyone can secure good results with benzol as an engine fuel.

2—This putting which you speak of undoubtedly is caused by an improper setting of the carbureter. The air valve, when benzol is used, should be opened to its maximum position.

maximum. Some so-called benzols have not been sufficiently purified an dthe excess sulphur content may cause pitting. Too much sulphur in gasoline would cause pitting, for that matter.

# Buick Knocks Though Overhauled

Q—A 1914 Buick B-25 has a knock in the engine that we have been unable to find. When the engine is started cold, climbing a hill no knock occurs but as soon as the engine becomes warm when on a hill the knock becomes very loud. When it is crowded a little too much in starting or for instance after turning a corner the same knock occurs. The engine has been completely overhauled, main bearings and connecting rods tightened, piston rings are not loose enough to cause knock. The timing has been checked by two experts, who say it is O. K. Retarding or advancing the spark has no effect on the knock. We are advised to raise the cylinders about 1/16 in. to reduce compression pressure.—Walter L. Cuppy, Lafayette, Ind.

You have, by implication, upset two theories we might have advanced. It sounds at a distance of 137 miles like a case of preignition, due to the presence of carbon, or looseness in one or more of the engine bolts. Yet if the engine has been overhauled, it is safe to assume there is no carbon and also that the engine is firmly held to the frame. If not—and it is possible—the mechanic has slipped somewhere.

When carbon is present in rather large quantity there will be no knock when first started; not until the carbon has come to a glow; then it will make its presence felt, particularly on a pull, as in going up a grade. This symptom develops also when the throttle is opened after rounding a turn. It seems very much like carbon, despite the fact the engine was supposed to have been overhauled.

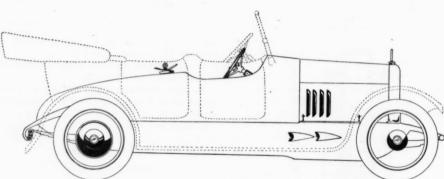
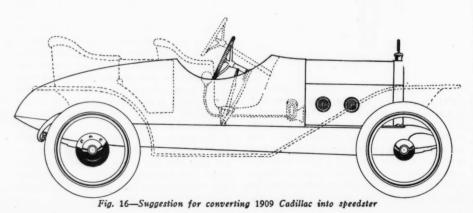


Fig. 15-Suggestion for converting 1918 Willys-Knight into speedster



If it were a loose engine, then the knock would manifest itself on a hill quite as much when cold as when it had warmed up, so possibly this cannot be the case. Yet if it were not for this, we would suggest you look for the trouble here.

There is not one chance in a hundred that the compression has increased; if anything, it will have decreased in six seasons of use. Before trying to raise the cylinders, which involves considerable work, put a compression gage on each cylinder and know what the compression is. Unless this trouble has always existed, the theory that it is too much compression is dispelled.

There is still the possibility that the ignition timing is incorrect, despite the fact that working the lever does not change matters. Check this up yourself. Bring the piston of No. 1 cylinder to the top center, on the compression stroke, and while the spark lever is fully retarded. The spark should occur at this point and if it does, you will know the ignition is correct. If this does not bring a remedy then look for carbon or for a loose engine bolt.

# Rebuilding

# Old Speedster Not Advised

Q—Publish speedster design for a 1918 Willys-Knight touring car.

2—Publish speedster design for a 1909 Cadillac touring car.

3—What changes will be necessary in the Willys-Knight to obtain a speed of 90 m.p.h. and still have a car that will be quick on the pickup and getaway and work well on a ½-mile track?

4-What is the approximate cost?

5—Does a generator offer any resistance to an engine at speed? If so, how much?

6—Is it advisable to have a self-starter?
7—What ignition and carbureter would

7—What ignition and carbureter would you advise for high and low-speed work combined?

8—Can the ports in the sleeves be enlarged to any advantage of cooling and requiring more speed?—W. W. Griden, Reliable Auto Repair Co., Mexico, Mo.

1—A design for a speedster using a Willys-Knight chassis is shown in Pig. 15.

2—We show this design in Fig. 16, but doubt very much the value of it. A car of 1909 vintage is beyond the reach of the rebuilder for use as material for a speedster.

3—Your requirements and the working material are too conflicting to design a car for 90 m.p.h. In the first place Knight engines are used very little for racing work. Lubrication of the regular stock Knight engine built for touring car use, will be very difficult, and we doubt the feasibility of the idea.

Besides the difficulty of adapting this engine to racing car use, it is your intention to secure a rapid acceleration and at the same time a high rate of speed. The first condition demands that the ratio of the rear axle gears be low, and the second condition demands that the ratio be high. The acceleration with the present gears and transmission is,

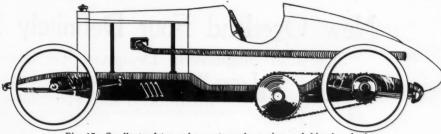


Fig. 17-Small speedster using motorcycle engine and bicycle wheels

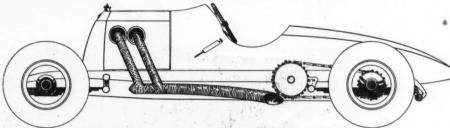


Fig. 18-Small two-passenger speedster with tail and two-cylinder engine

we suppose, about satisfactory. For the speed to be raised to 90 m.p.h. the gears in the rear axle must be changed so the ratio will be 2.5 to 1. The present ratio of these gears is 4.30 to 1. At the maximum engine speed of 2200 r.p.m. and with the stock equipment tires, 34 by 4½ in., this gives a maximum car speed of 53 m.p.h., the present top speed of your car.

While it is true the car can be reworked sufficiently to give this increased speed, the expense will be large. As much as possible should be done toward bettering the engine performance. A two-spark ignition system would add greatly to the car speed, but this cannot be applied very well to your car.

4—The cost of such a rebuilding job will vary greatly, according to how the work is done, that is, if a body builder builds a special body, at least \$600 will be added to the bill right here. You will need to have an oil pump of greater capacity made to insure proper lubrication. Machine work of this nature is done on a basis of \$1.25 per hour. The total cost is going to run in the neighborhood of \$1,000 at least.

5—A generator consumes about 1 hp. This in itself is small, but as the generator is apt to be burned out from the continuous high speed, it should be disconnected. Removing the brushes will protect the generator, if it is desired not to remove the generator entirely.

6—If the generator is to be removed, then the self-starter should not be used, for it is ruinous to the battery to use the starter without a generator to replenish the current taken by the starting motor.

7—There is very little choice between the different types of ignition systems as far as performance is concerned. Magneto ignition is reliable certainly, but battery ignition is applicable to high speeds for multi-cylinder engines without the disadvantage inherent to the magneto, that of high armature speeds. For instance, a magneto produces two sparks per revolution of its armature,

and an eight-cylinder engine requires four sparks per revolution, or the magneto must revolve two times as fast as the engine. This objection, though, now has been overcome by more efficient design.

Carbureters built for touring car work are designed with the one thought of economy in view. For racing, economy is not the important consideration, hence the reason why racing cars do not throttle down very slowly or evenly.

8—We do not advise that the ports of the sleeves be enlarged. This is a task that entails more work than at first seems necessary. The gas ports will have to be changed to meet the new size of the valve port, and this means a larger carbureter and so on. Every change of this order calls for a whole sequence of changes, which must be made in proper proportion.

# Small Speedster Design

Q—Publish sketch for speedster similar to de Palma's Packard, using a one-cylinder motorcycle engine. I have four bicycle wheels I desire to use.—Alphonse A. Thasky, Chicago.

This design is shown in Fig. 17.

# Speedster With Motorcycle Engine

Q—Publish sketch and give dimensions of a small two-passenger speedster having a tail and using a two-cylinder motorcycle engine and wheels.

2-Which motorcycle engine would you suggest for this purpose?

3—Is it possible for me to build it myself, including the body?—Arthur Heidemann, Quincy, Ill.

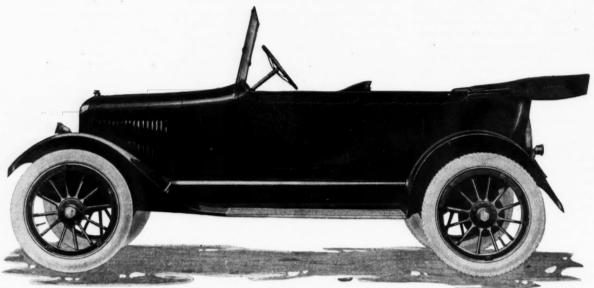
1—This sketch is shown in Fig. 18.

2—There are several two-cylinder engines that may be used in this cyclecar. Any standard motorcycle engine will do. The difference in these engines is not very pronounced, so that there will have to be no changes to accommodate the setting of the engine in the frame.

3—This is a question that only you yourself can answer. If you are inclined mechanically and have access to a small shop, there is no reason why you should not build the car yourself.

# New Overland Four Definitely in Production

Unusual Suspension Designed To Give Equivalent of Long Wheelbase Features Small Car Introduced at 1918 Shows



New Overland Four in five-passenger style at \$845

THE spring suspension is the only radical feature of the new Overland 4, one of two models to which Willys-Overland will confine its manufacture. The chassis for this car was exhibited first at the New York show in January, 1918, and later at Chicago. While a few refinements have been made since then, the car as a whole, remains the same. The Willys-Knight, of course, will be continued and a six-cylinder job will be made by a separate organization in the east, the Willys Corp.

The spring suspension on the new four is so arranged that the spring supports are 130 in. apart, while the wheelbase is about 100 in. This makes possible a car of less than 2000 lb., but with maximum room in the car and allows the production of a full five-passenger size with complete equipment at \$845, a moderate price, considering the current material situation. On the same chassis there will be a roadster at \$846, a sedan at \$1,355 and a coupe at \$1,225. Production is running about 350 a day, and deliveries are being made as fast as possible.

# No Cross Members on Frame

The chassis has been stripped to bedrock simplicity. There are no cross members on the frame, the rear engine support acting as such. The frame side members are straight and tied together front and rear by heavy end pieces to take care of the stresses imposed by the spring suspension. The chassis suspension is practically three-point. The springs are fastened to the frame at the front end by bolts and to the axle by eve-bolts, the same construction being used for the right rear spring. The left

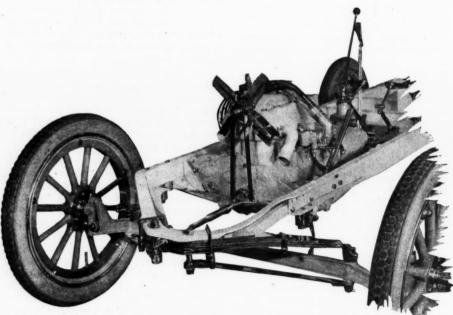
### FEATURES OF NEW OVERLAND FOUR

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Autolite electric system
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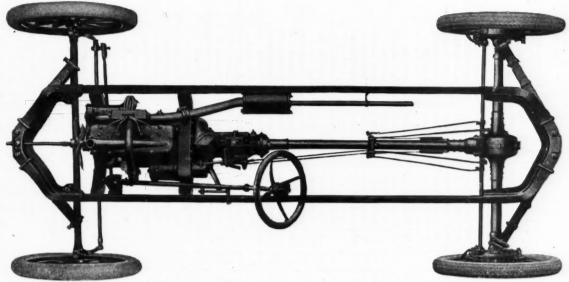
Roadster and rive-Passenger touring car, \$845

rear spring, however, is bolted to the frame and shackled to the brake support on the rear axle, thus providing the one-shackle construction for which this car is noted. All elongation of spring centers is taken care of by this single shackle. The drive is taken through the springs.

The engine is a conventional 3¼ by 4-in. detachable L-head with integrally cast cylinders and crankcase. The aluminum pistons have three ring grooves, two above and one below the piston pin.



Unusual spring suspension which features Overland Four and which is designed to give riding effect of greater wheelbase



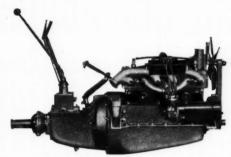
This shows why the manufacturer announces a "130-inch springbase." The springs attach to the frame 15 inches ahead of, and behind, the axles

Precautions have been taken for an ample supply of water through the thermo-syphon system. The jackets are large and the radiator is a cellular type with non-corrosive sheet brass tubes. The radiator shell is a pressed steel cnepiece unit, and to assist cooling there is a fan shroud on the radiator.

Capacity of the cooling system is 3 gal. 3 qt. The fan is a four-blade, steel stamping, belt-driven, with an adjustment provided through the fanshaft lock.

Constant circulation of the oil is maintained by the flywheel gear teeth. The oil is picked up from the reservoir and thrown into a strainer, where it is filtered. It then is led to the main feed pipe, which runs the full length of the cylinder block. Three holes connect this feed pipe with the crankshaft bearings. Scoops on the lower ends of the connecting rods splash the oil to the cylinders and other bearings. The timing gears are lubricated through a small

hole in the end of the main oil feed line above the front main bearing. The oil in the crankcase communicates with the



In this engine the oil is circulated by the flywheel gear teeth

clutch, gearset, universal, speedometer gear, generator and starting motor drive end bearings. The capacity of the system is 11/2 gal.

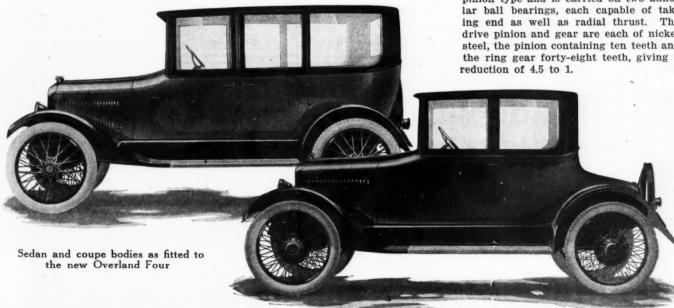
The gasoline tank is under the cowl and provides a gravity feed. The carbureter is a 34-in. Tillotson, of the type used in previous Willys-Knight cars, equipped with hot-air attachment.

Auto-Lite electrical equipment supplies lighting, starting and ignition. The battery is 6-volt type rated at 80 amp. and located beneath the driver's seat.

The clutch is a single-plate, mounted on a splined shaft and clamped between the flywheel and another iron ring by a spiral spring. Between the flywheel, clutch plate and thrust ring are interposed two molded asbestos plates 8 in. in diameter and 1/8 in. thick. Pressure is applied to the spring for engagement through three toggle levers by a 300-lb. siral spring.

Because of the use of a torsion tube, but one universal is necesary.

The three-quarter floating rear axle is carried in a two-part malleable iron housing. The differential is a four-bevel pinion type and is carried on two annular ball bearings, each capable of taking end as well as radial thrust. The drive pinion and gear are each of nickel steel, the pinion containing ten teeth and the ring gear forty-eight teeth, giving a



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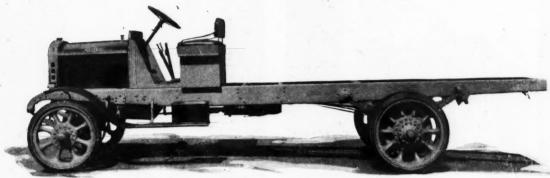
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# Master Adds 5-Ton Model to Truck Line

Heavy-Duty Design Features Accessibility



Master 5-ton truck chassis, which lists at \$4,890

A 5-ton truck has been added to the Master truck line. From the designer's viewpoint this is a particularly heavy-duty truck, and from the mechanic's standpoint it is a study in accessibilty. The truck is assembled from standard parts, and in the list of parts makers are found such names as Buda, Brown-Lipe, Timken and Parish & Bingham. The truck lists at \$4,800 for the standard wheelbase model.

The engine is the new Buda ATU model with 4¾ by 6½-in. bore and stroke. The cylinders are cast in pairs and are of the L-head type. The valves are of tungsten steel with effective working diameter of 2¼ in., which makes for high power and easy scavenging of cylinders. The cylinder head is removable, which makes valve-grinding comparatively simple.

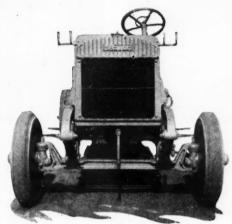
The crankshaft is carried in three extra large bronze-shell, babbitt-lined bearings, the front 2½ by 4½ in.; center, 2½ by 3% in., and the rear, 25% by 4¾ in. Connecting rod bearings are I-beam chrome-vanadium steel, and camshaft bearings are die-cast babbitt. The entire engine is designed especially for continuous operation on low grades of fuel under heavy load.

# Type of Lubrication

Lubrication is by positive force feed, a gear pump forcing the oil, under heavy pressure, to the main bearings and thence through a passage drilled in the crankshaft to the connecting rod bearings. A Master 1½-in. carbureter and a Pierce governor are used. Ignition is furnished by an Eisemann magneto with automatic advance.

The radiator, which is of Master make, is of the tubular type, the core being removable. Frame and tanks are cast iron, which makes for strength and rigidity and protects the cooling section from shocks and strains with flexibility secured by the use of strong C-spring supports. Circulation is effected by certrifugal pump. Extra large water spaces around cylinders and valves insure adequate cooling under all conditions.

Power is transmitted to the worm gear axle through a Brown-Lipe clutch,



The front shows the new type of front axle without center drops

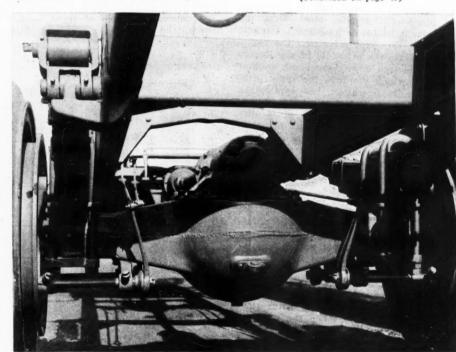
a Brown-Lipe four-speed transmission on a three-point suspension amidships, and

a large tubular propeller shaft fitted with two Spicer and two Detroit universals. The five-plate clutch operates Raybestos-to-steel and the transmission is fitted with alloy steel shafts and gears and carried on Timkin roller bearings. The gears have a 1-in. face and 5/7 pitch. Gear ratio for the various speeds are: Low, 49.61 to 1; second, 29.11 to 1; third, 15.38 to 1; high, or final, 10.25 to 1, and reverse, 59.55 to 1.

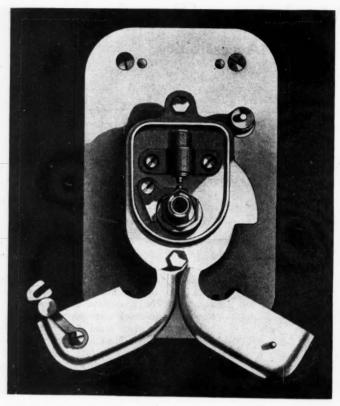
The rear axle is a Timkin worm, full-floating, the worm gear and differential being mounted as a unit. Timkin roller bearings are fitted throughout, and the housing is one-piece, pressed steel with nickel and steel reinforcing tubes.

The front axle also is Timken, being a straight I-beam with no center drop. The beam is 2½ in. wide with ½-in. webs. Spindles are 2½ in. in diameter. Timkin roller bearings are fitted to hubs and

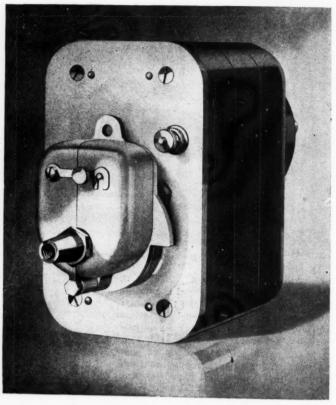
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The real axle is oversize and sturdiness is found throughout the chassis, as



End view of the Rogers magneto with the breaker box open showing the knurled screw with which it is possible to make an adjustment while the magneto is running.



Rogers magneto with the breaker box closed, showing the square and compact appearance which this style of magnet design gives. In this the coils are completely inclosed.

# Unusual Features in Rogers Magneto

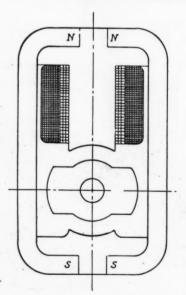
Application of Principle to Design New—Adjustment Possible While Running

S TATIONARY coil and a revolving piece of magnetic steel form the component parts of the Rogers magneto made by the Vita Mfg. Co.. Cleveland. Ohio. While the principle of the Rogers magneto is not new, there being another magneto which employs the same principle for its operation, the application to the Rogers design is new. In appearance the Rogers magneto is different from the general type of magneto. The outside of the magneto presents a very square appearance, and since the magnets completely inclose the coils, no windings are visible from the exterior.

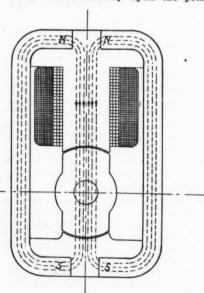
The magnets of this magneto are shaped like a widened letter U or like a section of a channel iron. The cross-section shows the method of securing the magnets to the upper and lower distributing blocks. The rotor completes the gap between the upper and lower block.

It is this completing and breaking of the magnetic circuit by the rotor that produces the spark. When the rotor is in a horizontal position the lines of force are broken, and there is no flow of the magnetic lines across the gap. As soon, though, as the rotor comes to a vertical position the lines of force are established, or the circuit is completed. This causes the lines of force to flow through the upper block and in so doing

generates a current in the primary winding. By reason of the secondary winding being wound directly upon the primary



Cross - section of magneto showing the rotor in a horizontal position. The field windings are always stationary



The Rogers magneto with the rotor in a vertical position, completing the magnetic circuit through the field

winding, the current produced in the is 3½ in. wide. With the standard primary is multiplied many times. wheelbase 168 in. is provided back of

The breaker box of the Rogers magneto is rather unusual, for the points are so arranged that the clearance can be adjusted while the magneto is running. The illustration of the magneto with the breaker box open shows a knurled screw above the contact points, which is the means for making this running adjustment.

Production on this magneto will be under way as soon as the building now under erection is completed, when 70,000 sq. ft. of floor space will be available.

# MASTER ADDS 5-TONNER

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steering knuckle heads. All wearing parts are extra large and fitted with hardened and ground steel bushings.

Insurance against skid chains interfering with brakes is provided by placing both brakes inside the 24-in. diameter drum. Both brakes are cam-actuated, internal expanding. The steering gear is a Ross, semi-reversible, worm and solid nut gear. Wearing surfaces are especially large and double ball thrust bearings are provided.

One of the first things in this chassis to attract the attention of the observer is the exceptionally sturdy frame. The depth of side-rail, 10 in., is exceptionally large for a truck of this size. The special formula channel section stock measures ½ in. in thickness and the flange

is 3½ in. wide. With the standard wheelbase 168 in. is provided back of the driver's seat, while the long wheelbase gives 192 in.

Springs are of the locomotive banded type, of silico-manganese steel, 46 by 3 in., front, and 60 by 4 in., rear. There are thirteen leaves in the front springs and eighteen in the rear. All springs are bronze-bushed. A heavy top rebound leaf is provided with Hotchkiss drive.

Wheels are steel and tires are single, 36 by 6 in. in front and 40 by 6 in., dual, in rear. With the short wheelbase the chassis weight is 8000 lb. and with the long 8200 lb. Each chassis has as equipment driver's seat with cushions, three lamps, folding crank, toolbox, toolkit and siren whistle. The standard color is gray lead, with other colors at a slight extra cost.

# GOVERNMENT SELLS 122 TRUCKS

Philadelphia, Sept. 30—One hundred and twenty-two condemned army motor trucks were sold for \$80,000 here, at a government sale held by the Motor Transport Corps, attended by 700 persons. The trucks were in fair condition and the average price was \$660. Minnesota, Illinois and Florida firms were represented among the purchasers.

# SHOW TRUCKS AT DAIRY EXHIBIT

Chicago, Sept. 30—Trucks are to be a feature of the National Dairy Show held in Chicago Oct. 6 to 12. Truck makers have recognized the importance of the dairy industry as a field for exploitation and a number of them including Kissel, Federal, Huffman, Sterling, Maxwell, Oldsmobile, Service, Diamond T, White, Selden, Fulton, All-America, Reo, Ward and Clydesdale have made arrangements to show.

# NEW ROADS BODY STATES AIMS

Washington, Sept. 30—The Transportation Bureau which has been established in the Federal Highway Council has adopted the following policy as representing its aims and objects:

To assist in coordinating the highways with the other transportation agencies of the country; to encourage the development of highways which will advance the economic life of the nation, stimulate their use in such a manner as to facilitate and cheapen the transportation of food, raw materials and finished products, and to cooperate with state and national government agencies, to the end that our highways may be of maximum service in the transportation system of the country.

# ST. LOUIS TO HOLD RELIABILITY

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 27—Final arrangements have been made for the tenth annual reliability run of the Automobile Club of St. Louis, to be held Oct. 10-11 to Cape Girardeau and return. The route is 157 miles, and two days will be occupied in making it. Three classes of entries are provided, and anyone can take part in the run.

# Valve Timing

Measured in Degrees and Minutes

# Motor Age Maintenance Data Sheet No. 56

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# 1919 Cars, Concluded

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# The Motor ar Repair Shop Practical Maintenance Hints

# Locating Pounds

NEVER in the history of the motor car industry was there an owner, a service station or a repairshop that has not at times pondered many an hour over some strange noise that seemed to baffle all attempts at finding the cause.

Such inconsequential things as body squeaks, brake rod rattles, bird-like twitters that emanate from the springs or fenders ned not be takn into consideration in this matter at this time—most of such little sounds come from lack of attention in the matter of lubrication or minor adjustments.

Perhaps the modern and up-to-date car will be made so it will go through a few seasons without any of these annoying trifles, but it has not been discovered, no matter how good it may be. This is not because of the quality of the material in the car or the workmanship or even in the design but rather because of lack of attention on the part of the owner.

### Wails from Old Car

Naturally enough the old car more frequently will be guilty of offending than will a new car, which has never been battling over rough country roads for several seasons and without the care a car actually deserves. It is the old car that has served wonderfully for two, three, four or more years that receives the smallest amount of attention and gets the largest share of abuse.

So, it is in the old car that naturally sets forth its wails in the form of thumps, knocks, pounds, rattles and squeaks. And when all of this vast army happen to be working in unison, take it from the mechanic called upon to diagnose the case it is no job for the inexperienced to quiet the nerves of the owner by eliminating even a small proportion of the noises.

An old car, that has performed wonderfully and has seen thousands of miles of service, may be taken as a concrete example of what can be found if a system is employed in the search for these annoyances.

First, let it be known that every observable nut and bolt was gone over and tightened and yet a terrific pound remained. It gave every symptom of badly battered wristpins, connecting rod or crankshaft bearings, but after these had been taken up the pound existed quite as much as before.

Now, let us make this part of the story short by saying that a single engine bolt was causing a thump and excessive vibration and giving every hint that new wristpins were needed, for all

this developed more on a pull than when running along on a smooth street.

Tightening up that one lone engine bolt stopped the engine from raising and dropping every time the pistons made a thrust downward; and each time the front wheels dropped down half an inch from a paving block, the frame of the car simply left the engine bed standing in the air, only to drop again and produce another thump.

Still there was a violent disturbance forward, apparently about the engine, but this was traced to the left half of the bonnet, for when this member was raised and tied over on the other side the second thump disappeared.

It developed that the bonnet was striking violently against the radiator shell, and while it caused no damage, it might have been permitted to do material mischief in time.

Just what caused the bonnet to strike the radiator was revealed when it was found that by no way of lining up or moving the radiator could the bonnet be brought where it belonged and was intended to be, that is, while it would fit nicely at the top of the cowl it gapped badly at the bottom, as shown by the dotted line in the illustration. This naturally forced the front edge of the bonnet against the radiator, with the result that with every little twist of the frame, or any small drop of the wheels into a hole, the bonnet would strike the radiator shell violently and produce a wicked thump.

Now, what caused the gaping at the extreme bottom of the cowl and the bonnet? A common sense view was that the frame had sagged, yet three out of four repairmen of reputation, with straight edges, insisted the frame was perfectly true.

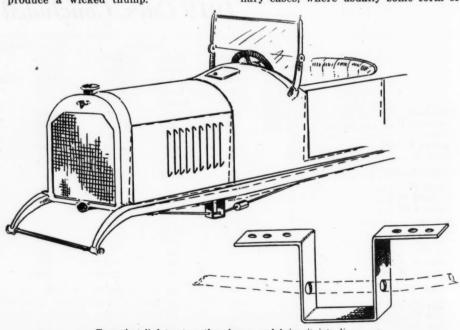
Cutting short argument the owner ordered a truss be installed to strengthen the frame had sagged, yet three out of happened to be sagged. This was the remedy, the working of the turnbuckle bringing the frame up so perceptibly that each twist of the wrench brought the bonnet nearer where it belonged.

### Did the Job

After this had been accomplished there was not a single rattle or thump or sound coming from that old car, all of which illustrates the fact that these little things can be discovered if a competent man sets about on a tour of discovery.

Incidentally on this particular job a simple and cheaply and quickly made truss was worked out. So far as the turnbuckle and truss rods were concerned they were simply standard, the latter being of %-in. rod, bent as shown, flattened at the ends and anchored to the under side of the frame with three 5/16-in, bolts at each end.

The truss standard, however, was a little different from that used in ordinary cases, where usually some form of



Truss installed to strengthen frame, and bring it into line

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stud is used. To save work and material and to give as much bearing surface under the frame as possible, a piece of flat iron 2 in. wide and ½ in. thick was selected and bent as shown, the riser being about 5 in. Two or three holes through the top flat section will be sufficient to hold the stud to the frame, and the holes for the rods to pass through can be placed wherever desired.

The nice thing about this stud is that it is impossible for the rod to get away, it gives ample bearing surface under the frame, it is easily and cheaply made, and, having two upright portions, is equivalent to two studs from 2 to 4 in.

This treatment also remedied a badly fitting door that also gave vent to its discomfort in not being properly placed in relation to the rest of the body of the car.

Ignition Trouble

Somehow or other the average mechanic or owner jumps to the conclusion the carbureter is causing all the trouble in an ill-running car, and it is common practice immediately to set to work to change the adjustment or try to remedy some other and quite foreign ill.

For years we have been told by the carbureter makers to leave this part of the motor car outfit alone; that not once in a thousand times is it to be blamed; that it cannot materially change unless the float becomes punctured. Yet we keep on tinkering with the gas-making device and pass a lot of other things that ought to be taken into consideration when something goes wrong with the perfect working of the engine.

Despite the fact that I know every nut and bolt on my car, notwithstanding that my engine had never up to a couple of weeks ago "acted up" on the road, and with the full knowledge that in my particular carbureter there was absolutely nothing that could get out of order and nothing of any nature to adjust, I did as they all do—accused the carbureter.

In a sense I had a right to do so inasmuch as I had spent three afternoons cleaning, going over and fixing everything I could bring to mind. Even the carbureter makers were a little baffled over the fact that at a certain speed the engine would "load" yet would give splendid results at other speeds and at all times. There had never been trouble about starting, there was no vacuum tank and its long pipes to cause trouble about the gasoline feeding, for the tank happens to be in the cowl-yet, trouble came after all this work and all the precision through which I went preparatory to an extended country trip.

Always it has been my play to do my tinkering before I start out rather than spend time fussing on the road and in all cases this policy has worked out to perfection with this one exception. I wished then I had never cleaned the old car.

Practically all of Saturday, much of Sunday and the entire forenoon of a Monday I worked on the car to have it in a condition that would put it over

the road for a hard week's drive and cause not one forced stop unless it happened to be for tire trouble.

Starting out the engine performed splendidly, but it had not gone 15 miles before it developed a decided missing when ascending the slightest grade on a concrete road; and when it tackled a real little hill that should have been made on high it was all it could do to make the top on low and that accompanied with incessant backfiring, something almost unknown to that particular machine.

After that it ran better. It seemed much like a lack of gas; that was the symptom in every way. It seemed for all the world like a stoppage of the gasoline at the screen or in the spray nozzle, yet inasmuch as it was working I stuck to my policy of letting it alone until I could reach my garage.

It might have gone all the way home had I kept it moving, but I didn't; I stopped to visit a friend who had a home in a new subdivision and who was blessed with a graded dirt road leading to his house. It was all right going to the house, but after a stop of a couple of hours things had changed decidedly—for the worse.

The engine started and that is all; it wouldn't move forward in low gear and the engine would stop with even a gentle touch of the clutch. Strange to say it would run backward, and not forward, due no doubt, as I see it now, to the lower gear ratio.

### **Further Symptoms**

Then when a soft spot was reached it quit entirely and refused to have a word to say. That meant there was no gas coming through the feed pipe or that the screen was stopped or something of the sort, but it happened that there was no trouble there.

It didn't seem possible that it could be the magneto, for that had been gone over in the morning—the brushes had been cleaned, the high-tension segments were wiped off and were as good as the day the instrument was made; every plug was cleaned and the points set; the wires had been tested and the terminal set up and cleaned—all the ignition was perfect. Yet not a kick out of that engine.

When priming would bring no hint of an attempt to start I knew it must be ignition, unless the chain operating the camshaft had slipped, and to tell the truth it did look like something of the sort. But I checked up on the valve setting and valve action and that was according to the flywheel marks and there was clearance and all that.

Then it must have been the magneto and visions of trouble came, along with a setting sun and a long way from help, even in the shape of a horse.

Removing the cover to the magneto I started in and checked up on the breaker, finding this to be according to rule and working perfectly when the engine was turned over by the starter.

But I did find a film of carbon on the fiber insulating the high-tension segments, despite the fact that I had so

carefully cleaned that very portion, as well as the distributing brush in the morning. I cleaned it thoroughly, put back the cover and the engine started instantly and ran better than it has in months.

It was all my own foolishness, as I realized afterward, for I had given the fiber and segments the thinnest trace of lubricating oil that was possible—and this had only acted as a distributer of carbon, permitting the high-tension current to run wild and go anywhere but the right place.

Then I found that the "loading" at a certain engine speed disappeared and the car could move along on high gear slower than ever; that I improved my mileage by 2 m.p.g.; that there was no signs of laboring and no hesitancy, and that altogether the engine worked better than it had in a year.

Chiefly, however, I discovered that it is not well to lay the blame to the carbureter and I also discovered the fact that oil must be kept off the high-tension distributer on a magneto.—C. P. R.

# WESTON-MOTT PLANT IS SOLD

Detroit, Sept. 26.—The Puritan Machine Co. has purchased from the General Motors Corp. the axle business of the Weston-Mott Co. of Flint, Mich., and will move the stock to the main plant in Detroit. Distribution of service repair parts for Weston-Mott axles will be from this point. The Weston-Mott Co. formerly was a subsidiary of the General Motors.

# EUROPEAN PRODUCTION IS SLOW

Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 26—E. E. Bloom, export manager for the Haynes Automobile Co., has returned from a two months' trip to Europe, where he visited virtually all the countries of Europe to ascertain the motor car situation in foreign fields.

"France and England will not get into anything like quantity production for a year or more," declared Mr. Bloom. "Used cars in these countries are eagerly sought at any price. I know of a case in which a used Rolls-Royce sold for \$20,000.

"The foreign market for American cars is greater than ever. There is a 70 per cent duty on American cars in France, but even so dealers are eager to secure cars. This high duty, which is really an embargo, will continue for probably six months longer. In England we are looking for its repeal in September although a duty of 33 1/3 per cent may remain."

As a result of his visit, Haynes dealers are now located in Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, France, Belgium, England, Spain and Italy.

# ORDER NECESSITATES NEW FACTORY

Port Huron, Mich., Sept. 26—The Chief Motors Corp. has received an order for 1000 engines, about \$400,000 worth of business, from the J. T. Tractor Co. of Cleveland. To handle this new business additional factory units must be built. A 10-acre site has been purchased. This company is marketing the Chief tractor engine.

# Accessory Orner New Fitments for the Gr

# Ab-rec Rectifier

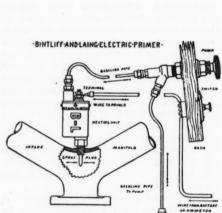
HE Ab-rec rectifier, while really too small a rectifier for the dealer to use in his shop, is just about the right size for the dealer to sell to his customers as an accessory. The rectifier will charge one battery of 6 to 20 volts at a 2 amp. rate for the 6-volt battery. This rectifier operates on the electrolytic principle. There is no wear in this type of rectifier, except the solution must be replaced occasionally, as it is lost through evaporation. The rectifier is made by the American Battery Co., 1132-1134 Fulton street, Chicago.

# Rixie Road Grip

The Rixie road grip is an anti-skid device for use in sandy country and on muddy roads where it is impossible to secure traction. The gripping device is strapped on over the tire, which it fits perfectly because of the molded interior, and presents to the road a wide surface, corrugated with outstanding lugs. One grip is applied to each rear tire. The grips are made four sizes, No. 1 for tires from 30 by 31/2 to 32 by 31/2; No. 2 tires, 31 by 4 to 34 by 4; No. 3 for 32 by 41/2 to 36 by 41/2, and No. 4 for tires from 33 by 5 to 37 by 5. The prices of these grips are respectively \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.50 and \$10.50. The grips are made by W. R. Peterson Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

# **Dead Easy Tire Pump**

The Dead Easy tire pump is of the type that clamps to the running board and is operated with a long handle. This pump has four cylinders, two being lowpressure cylinders and forcing the air into the smaller, high-pressure cylinders. A toggle arrangement transfers the motion of the handle to the pistons, and these, needing very little oil, offer little



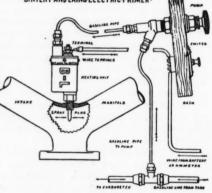
Electro gas primer



The Greb automatic grip puller



Dead Easy tire pump



Rixie road grip

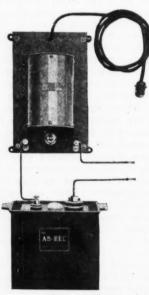
opportunity for the air being mixed with oil as it is forced in to the tires. This pump, which lists at \$20, comes complete with 12 ft. of jacketed hose and a self-retaining tire valve connector. It is made by the Globe Mfg. Co., Battle Creek. Mich.

### **Electro-Gas Primer**

The Bintliff & Laing primer shown furnishes gasoline vapor to the engine by heating the gasoline as it passes through the electric heating coil. A special hand pump is fitted to the dash, with which gasoline is drawn from the gasoline line and is fed from there to the primer. An electric switch also is fitted to the dash from the battery or the ammeter connecting with the terminal on the primer. The primer is manufactured by the Auto Distributing Co., Plainfield, N. J.

# Greb Grip Puller

The Greb automatic grip puller is universal in its application. It can be used as a real puller or as an arbor press or as a machine for straightening bent rods or any number of things the ingenuity of the mechanic may determine. The puller is made in three sizes. The large size has a jaw capacity of 18 in. This size puller is intended for heavy work such as is found in large trucks. The small size is for motor car work and is small enough to remove a magneto or pump shaft gear and is large enough to grip any device 7 in. in diameter. An intermediate size also is furnished. These pulling devices are made by The Greb Co., Inc., 173 State street, Boston, Mass.



Ab-rec rectifier

# me Savers of the Shop

### Brown Tube Vulcanizer

THE Brown tube vulcanizer is fitted with eight adjustable clamps which hold the tubes in any position while the tubes are being vulcanized. The clamps are secured to the back of the tube vulcanizer and can be swung to one side while the tube is being fitted to the plate. The top of the plate is machine finished and measures 35 by 6 in. The boiler and plate are cast in one piece, the casting being fitted with a steam gage, safety valve, filler and filler cap. gas burner regularly is furnished, but if a separate source of steam supply is on hand, the vulcanizer can be had without the burner. This is made by the Jesse F. Brown Mfg. Co., Los Angeles,

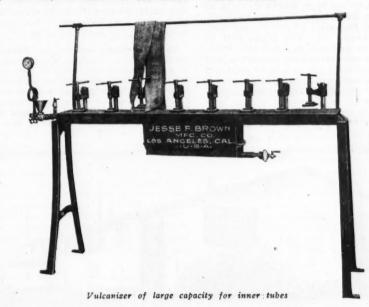
### Onan Electrical Tester

The Onan testing device is built to test generators and starting motors by running them from a special groove pulley driven from the regular line shaft. With this testing outfit it is possible to see the generator or magneto function while it is being driven separately from the car. Cables and meter can be furnished with the outfit. The driving pulley is of one piece and has grooves for five different sizes cut in it. The motor or generator is moved on the sliding

base to any position taking up for the slack in the driving belt. The testing outfit is made by David W. Onan. Minneapolis, Minn.

# Stine Screw Holes

In doing body-rebuilding work very handy use can be made of the screw holes made by the Stine Screw Holes Co., Waterbury, Conn. The screw holes are driven into the material to be screwed together, where they are held firmly by the knurled and grooved surface. The threaded interior of the plug makes a permanent screw hole for machine or wood screws.



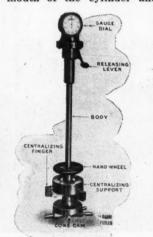
# Gage Calipers Cylinders Automatically

# Takes Place of Ordinary Caliper

ESTING the bore of a cylinder for roundness with the ordinary inside caliper is a task that requires patience and one that takes considerable time. To make this task easier and to save time on cylinder calipering, the Federal Products Corp., Providence, R. I., has developed a gage that measures the circularity of the bore and with which the measurement is indicated automatically on a dial, graduated to read either way from zero in thousandths of an inch direct and can be read to ten thousandths by reading "between the lines."

The gage feelers are inserted in the cylinder as the illustration shows. These bear at their inner ends by spiral springs against a cone cam directly connected by a steel rod, running through an outer casing to a spur and rack movement operating the dial indicator. A lever is attached to the steel rods by which the cone cam is lowered, thus permitting the feelers to recede sufficiently to be inserted in the cylinder. Once the feelers are inside the bore, pressure on the lever is withdrawn and the feelers are automatically released against the surface of the cylinder.

A centralizing support holds the apparatus in position. This support is placed at the mouth of the cylinder and has



The Federal visible gage caliper for measuring Showing the Federal gage in application. The dial the inside of the cylinder

three fingers which bind firmly against the walls of the cylinder by a scroll and rack movement operated by a hand wheel. The gage body turns freely and slides in and out through the centralizing support, permitting the feelers to bear wherever desired on the inner cylinder walls. The gage dial, is graduated in thousandths of an inch.



is visible in any position

# Among the Makers and Dealers Short Trade Notes

KLASSEN Now With F-W-D Truck— Henry P. Klassen, formerly in the motor car trade in Chicago, is now in charge of sales for Missouri and Illinois for Four Wheel Drive Auto Co. His headquarters are in St. Louis.

Addition for Moline Iron Works—The purchase of the Moline baseball park will enable the Moline Iron Works to build an addition to its present plant which operated under the name of the Cooper Saddlery Hardware Co. The plant will be continued in addition to malleable foundry, 110 by 400 ft., and an enameling and finishing building, 110 by 360, of steel and glass, with cement tile roofs to be erected at a cost of about \$200,000. Approximately 250 men will be employed at the new plant. It is expected that operations in the new buildings will start by the first

of the year. The Moline Iron Works make castings for cars, trucks, tractors and farm implements.

Continental Parts Moving—The Continental Auto Parts Co., Knightstown, Ind., will move to the plant at Columbus, Ind., formerly occupied by the Janney Mfg. Co., builder of farm implements. Six times the present floor space is provided in the new factory and an immediate increase in production is planned. The company builds a line of shop equipment.

Pan-American Rubber to Move—The Pan-American Rubber Co., Milwaukee, Wis., manufacturing porous and cellular fillers for pneumatic casings used on light commercial vehicles, has decided to relocate its works at Watertown, Wis. The present factory at Cudahy, suburb of Milwaukee, will be moved about Oct. 1 to

temporary quarters in the former Wiens Brush Co. plant at Watertown. A site of 4 acres has been purchased as a site for a complete new factory to be erected early in the spring of 1920.

McKinney to Manage Morgan Sales—B. R. McKinney has been appointed sales manager for the Morgan Mfg. Co., Keene, N. H., maker of Morgan spark plugs and red pumps.

New England Representative for Specialties—Charles C. Howison has been appointed New England representative for the Hudson Motor Specialties Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Smith Becomes Vice-President—Pierce G. Smith has been made vice-president of the American Malleable Co., Lancaster, N. Y., and Owosso, Mich. He was formerly sales manager of the company.

Portable Rubber Declares Dividend— The Portable Rubber Co., Akron, O., declared a 1% per cent quarterly dividend on all outstanding preferred stock of record Sept. 20, payable Oct. 1.

Columbus Cole Dealer to Build—The Cole Motor Sales Co., Columbus, Ohio, recently chartered, will erect a modern garage and salesroom 47 by 187½ ft. It will be two stories high. E. A. Neff is general manager of the concern, which now has temporary headquarters.

Trailmobile Factory Progressing—Construction of the new Trailmobile Co. factory is progressing rapidly. The first unit will be 200 by 500 ft. The company recently made exhibits of its trailer at the California, Texas and Ohio state fairs and also had a display at Cincinnati. Ohio.

Value is Case Foreign Sales Manager—Beverly Mason Value has been appointed foreign sales manager of the J. I. Case Plow Works, Racine, Wis., with offices in New York. He has been identified with T. A. Prouty, Inc.; with the Pittsburgh Testing Laboratories, first as assistant sales manager and later as assistant district manager. After returning from overseas duty as captain of infantry, he became vice-president of Tractors, Ltd.

General Tractors Office in Chicago—The General Tractors, Inc., a Delaware corporation formed with \$1,000,000 capital to take over the Monarch Tractor Co., with main works at Watertown, Wis., will open executive headquarters in Chicago Oct. 1. The present headquarters at Watertown will be continued only as a factory office, with similar provision at the works recently acquired at Paulsboro, N. J., and the Canadian works at Brantford, Ontario. The Chicago office also will contain the sales department. A New York office will be opened.

Earle Is Eastern Buda Representative— L. H. Earle, who was released from service as captain in the Ordnance Corps last spring, has been appointed eastern representative for the Buda Co., Harvey, Ill., with offices in New York. While in service, Earle managed the government inspection of tractors and tanks. He for-





SUNNYSIDE EXHIBIT AT MILWAUKEE SHOW—This is how General Motors introduced its power and light unit at the Milwaukee show. In this miniature home Sunnyhome made its debut before the public

merly was with Continental Motors Corp., first as designing engineer and later as sales manager. Previous to that he was chief engineer of the Abbott Motor Car Co. and with Chalmers at Detroit. Just previous to his entering service he was in business for himself as Earle & Boggs, Inc., manufacturers' representatives.

Hall Joins Willys Corp.—Jay V. Hall, formerly general sales manager of the Olds Motor Works, who resigned that position some time ago, is now with the new Willys Corp. and is located at the Duesenberg plant, where he is in charge.

Greiff Joins American Bosch—Victor Greiff, a lieutenant in the naval reserve force in the Bureau of Steam Engineering, has been appointed research engineer for the American Bosch Magneto Corp., Springfield, Mass. His previous connections have been with the Covic Electrical Co., the New York Edison Co. and the General Electric Co.

V. L. Curran has resigned as purchasing agent of the Sparks-Withington Co., Jackson, Mich., and has acquired an interest in the Jackson Screw Products Co. He assumed the duties of general manager Sept. 15. Mr. Curran is succeeded by James T. Beadle, many years a buyer for several Jackson manufacturers.

Southern Maker Erecting Plant—The Southern Motor Mfg. Association, Ltd., manufacturer of Ranger cars, trucks, tractors and trailers, has commenced construction of considerable additions to its plant on the 500-acre tract given the company by Houston, Tex. When completed early next year, this plant will be the largest automotive industry in the South.

Racine Rubber Will Add—The Racine Rubber Co., Racine, Wis., western division of the Ajax Rubber Co., Trenton, N. J., has awarded contracts for the erection of a four-story addition to the factory, increasing the area 80 by 160 ft. The building and equipment will represent an investment of \$100,000 to \$125,000. It is expected to be ready for occupancy by Nov. 1 or 15.

Salesroom and Garage for Armleder—
The Columbus Armleder Sales Co. will erect a salesroom to be joined to a garage building in which Armleder trucks and certain lines of cars will be sold. It is expected to spend \$50,000 in the new structure which will be 80 by 60 ft. and two stories high. The company was recently reorganized from the Columbus Armleder Motor Truck Co., with an authorized capital of \$60,000, which will be increased later. Jaboc Mattlin is president; H. L. Freidenberg, vice-president; Sol. Aarons, secretary, and M. Berman, treasurer and general manager.

Higgins Spring to Increase Output-Reports to the effect that the Higgins Spring & Axle Co., Racine, Wis., had disposed of its entire business to the new Continental Axle Co., Edgerton, Wis., and would retire from the field are declared to be erroneous and an injustice to the company by George L. Peterson. It is officially stated that the Higgins company has sold to the Continental company a new department created a year ago for the manufacture of axles for trucks, trailers and tractors. The Higgins company will continue to manufacture springs for motor vehicles as well as horse-drawn vehicles and axles for wagons, carriages, etc. The output of such goods will be increased and new machinery and equipment is now being installed, replacing the equipment which was sold to the Edgerton company together with the heavy duty axle department.

Parker Heads Lansing Reo—W. Carl Parker has been appointed manager of the Lansing branch of the Reo Motor Car Co., Lansing, Mich., to succeed Clarence Triphagen, who recently assumed the position of manager of the newly-established Detroit branch.

Brush Leaves Factory for Agency—George I. Brush, formerly district sales manager for the Olympian Motors Co., Pontiac, Mich., has joined the sales force of the Welling Motor Co., St. Louis, Mo., distributer of the Olympian, Crow-Elkhart and All-American trucks.

Oshkosh Truck Buys Site—The Oshkosh Motor Truck Co., Oshkosh, Wis., manufacturing all-wheel drive commercial vehicles, has purchase a site for its new works, the first unit of which will be 150 by 300 ft. Work will begin some time in October. William A. Besserdich is president and chief engineer.

Bound Brook Promotes Managers—Harry J. Lindsley, who has been western sales manager for the last seven years for the Bound Brook Oil-less Bearing Co., Bound Brook, N. J., and William F. Jennings, eastern sales manager for the company for the last five years, have been made vice-presidents of the concern.

Sibley Leaves Packard—Hi Sibley, for two years a member of the Packard company advertising staff, and formerly special war correspondent for Motor Age, has resigned and will make his home in California. Frank Kane, for three years with the same department, has joined the staff of Erwin & Wasey, advertising agents, Chicago.

Gloetzner Heads Covert Gear—Alwin A. Gloetzner, formerly vice-president in charge of sales and engineering of the Covert Gear Co., Inc., Lockport, N. Y., has been appointed president and general manager of the company, succeeding P. A. Clum. He will spend four days each week at the Lockport plant and the balance of his time in Detroit.

Munroe to Join Ford in Paris—Russell Munroe has resigned as assistant advertising manager of the Ford Motor Co. to become assistant sales manager of the newly organized Ford Motor Co. branch in Paris, France. Mr. Monroe has been with the Ford organization for several years. He recently returned from France where he served with the French army and later with the American Red Cross.

Body Business Changes Hands—The Bennett-Sustrich Co, has purchased the body manufacturing business of the Southwick-Pom Co. and will continue in the same business. James J. Bennett, formerly superintendent of the Southwick-Pom Co., is president of the new organization. James S. Southwick is treasurer. The reorganized company is one of the pioneer body builders of Detroit.

Globe to Build New Foundry—The Globe Co., Sheboygan, Wis., formerly the Globe Foundry & Machine Co., is separating its casting and machine departments, a new corporation styled the Globe Foundry Co. having been incorporated with \$100,000 capital to build a complete new gray-iron foundry on a new site. The present casting shop will be converted into an addition to the machine shop, doubling the

capacity. G. F. Honold, president of the Globe Co., is one of the principal owners of the new Globe Foundry Co. The company will continue to specialize in automotive castings and parts.

Parts Maker Enlarges Plant—The A. O. Smith Corp., Milwaukee, one of the largest manufacturers of automotive parts in the United States made public today the announcement that arrangement have been completed for the enhargement of its works at a cost of more than \$4,000,000, to increase the capacity approximately 100 per cent.

Columbus to Make Car Bodies—The Columbus Commercial Body Co. is adding equipment and metal working machinery for the manufacture of car bodies. Heretofore the company has confined its output to the manufacture of commercial bodies. It is finishing an order for bus bodies. It will continue to make commercial bodies but will concentrate on motor car bodies.

New Building for Ford Dealer—Work, abandoned during the war, has been resumed on the two-story building for the Ollie E. Hunt Motor Co., St. Louis, Mo., Ford dealer. The lot is 75 by 155 ft. The building will cost about \$60,000. A thoroughfare will pass through the building, connecting with a runway leading to the second floor. A gasoline filling station will be maintained inside the building.

Grand Larceny of Car Charged—Legal points of considerable general interest involving the motor trade recently have cropped up in the inland Empire. At Walla Walla two men were sentenced to indeterminate terms of eight months to ten years for stealing a motor car. The charge was grand larceny, and the defendants denied this form of indictment on the ground that they intended to abandon the car without attempting to sell it and convert the proceeds. The trial judge held that grand larceny had been established.

West Keeps Track of Tourists-More than 8000 tourists have registered in Spokane to date this season, far exceeding the total of any previous year. Fifty-nine different brands of cars are represented, and -in sad disproportion to the number of motors-an old horse-drawn vehicle en tour has booked in at the national trial registries. The formidable flow of motors en tour was emphasized last week when the Vantage ferry on the Columbia river, a link in the Sunset highway, was temporarily put out of commission by high winds. Immediately the current of east and west bound cars was dammed and in a few hours 250 machines had lined up. Ultimately traffic was routed by the Yellowstone trail farther up.

Hubbard Field Is Opened - Hubbard Field, the new aviation ground on the Taylorsville road, 11/2 miles beyond Louiscille, Ky., was officially opened Sunday morning, and is said to be the best flying field south of Dayton, Covering 50 acres, the field is absolutely smooth and laid off so airplanes can land or take off in any direction. Every facility has been arranged for taking care of planes from other cities and within a week or so three fire-proof hangars will be erected. The Mattingly-Hubbard Motor Co., which operates the field, has not gone in only for passenger carrying and selling of airplanes but also operates an aviation school. Three former army pilots have been engaged as instructors.

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# Trom the Tour Winds Climpses at the World of Motordom

Los Angeles, Cal.....Ascot Speedway

Ottawa, Ontario .....

Lyuisville-Paducah Road in Spring— Within two weeks five crews will take the field and survey the Ohio River road from Louisville to Paducah. Work on the highway will start as soon as conditions are right in the spring.

Changes in Missouri License Plates—A change will be made in the Missouri motor car license plates for 1920. Instead of 225879, the plates will show 22-58-79, thus enabling the numbers to be more easily read. The word "Mo." and the year will appear under the number next year, instead of at the side.

Air Service Proposed in Japan—An air postal service is to be inaugurated between Tokio and Osaka, Japan, according to the Far Eastern Division of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. The Imperial Aviation Society, a semiofficial organization for the promotion of aviation and the Department of Communications are to co-operate in maintaining this service.

New York Association Will Meet—The sixteenth annual convention of the New York State Automobile Association will be held at Albany, N. Y., Oct. 6-7. The Automobile Club of Albany is making arrangements for the entertainment of the other associations. Two pieces of legislation effecting motorists upon which the convention will take action are amendments to

# Coming Motor Events

### TRACTOR DEMONSTRATIONS

	RACES	
Los Angeles, CalAscot Spo	edway	Nov. 2

Tractor and Farm Machinery...

### SHOWS

Toronto, Canada	Canadian National Exhibition	Aug. 22-Oct. 6
Cincinnati, Ohio	Automobile Dealers' Association	Sept. 13-20
Springfield, Mass	Eastern States Exposition	Sept. 15-20
Waterloo, Iowa	Black Hawk County Motor Trades Bureau	Sept. 22-28
Detroit	Dealers' Association, closed car salon	Oct. 6-11
Chicago	Automotive Equipment Association	Nov. 3-8
New York	N. A. C. C.	Jan. 3-10
Chicago	N. A. C. C.	Jan. 24-31
Kansas City, Mo	Kansas City Tractor Club	February
Wichita, Kan	Wichita Thresher-Tractor Club	Feb. 9-11

the law increasing fees on cars after Feb. 1 and legislation for the licensing and examining on the rules of the road for operators.

Motors in Ontario Show Increase—From Jan. 1, 1919, to Aug. 31, 1919, approximately 120,000 car permits and 9500 truck permits were issued by the Ontario depart-

ment of highways. For the whole of last year there were issued 101,599 permits for cars and 7529 permits for trucks.

Sardinia Transports Mail by Air—A service for the transportation of mail by airplane was initiated on the island of Sardinia Aug. 16, with service between the aviation fields and the postoffices.

Not Many Prospects Here—Two per cent of the population of Mexico City are able to purchase cars, according to a recent commerce report. The roads are in bad condition and little is being done to improve them.

Truck Exploiters Active—At Memphis the ship by truck movement received good impetus in September by several tours into west Tennessee and north Mississippi. At all towns the truck expeditions were received with great favor.

Cleveland Show Scheduled for January—The nineteenth annual Cleveland show will be held Jan. 17-24 in Wigmore coliseum. This is the same building that has sheltered the Cleveland show for eight years, but this year additional space is provided by the renting of an annex. This annex opens directly off the coliseum and will add about a third additional display room. Fred H. Caley continues as manager of the Cleveland show.

Louisiana to Complete Road Sections-Completion of the Louisiana sections of two of the great transcontinental highways passing through the state by Jan. 1. 1920, is promised by the state highway department, of which Duncan Buie is chief engineer. These roads are the Jefferson highway, virtually completed through seven states, and the Southern National highway, better known as the Old Spanish trail, which begins at Jacksonville, Fla.. and runs across the continent to San Diego, Cal. Average cost of these highways is \$10,000 a mile, and the money is in hand for the construction of both links within Louisiana.



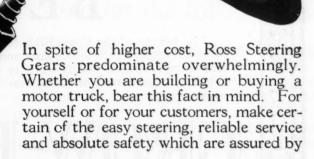
HOW A FIELD OF RACERS APPEARS—This picture taken at Sheepshead Bay at the last race is a good view of a racing group

# ROSS STEERING GEAR PREDOMINATE on Motor Trucks

The Commercial Car Journal for August 15 contains advertisements of 75 motor trucks. 43 of this number  $(57 \ 1/3\%)$  are equipped with Ross Steering Gears.

The Literary Digest for August 30 contains advertisements for 13 motor trucks. 8 of this number  $(61\ 1/2\%)$  are equipped with Ross Steering Gears.

There are 230 motor truck manufacturers in the United States. 144 of this number (62 3/5%) are equipped with Ross Steering Gears.

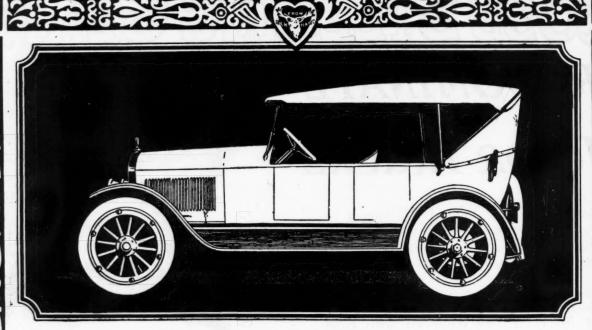


ROSS STEERING GEARS

> Write for booklet, "Choosing a Motor Truck," and for complete list of 144 different trucks equipped with Ross Steering Gears.



Ross Gear & Tool Company, 400 Heath St., Lafayette, Ind



# BEAUTY

The beauty of the Crow-Elkhart Six is more than surface-deep. True, the beauty of finish evidenced in the smart lines and exquisite appointment wins constant admiration. But there is hidden beauty—beauty of construction down 'neath the enamel and nickel—beauty of performance in the smooth, rhythmic flow of multi-power from the silently running motor.

# CROW-ELKHART Multi-Powered

# SIX CYLINDER MODELS

Model	H-55, Five Pass. Touring Car	\$1545
Model	H-53, Three Pass. Roadster	\$1545
Model	H-54, Four Pass. Roadster	\$1695
Model	H-56, Coupe	\$2195
	H-57, Seven Pass. Sedan	\$2395

# FOUR CYLINDER MODELS

Model L-55,	Five Pass. Touring Car	\$1295
Model L-53	Three Pass. Roadster	\$1295
Model L-54	, Four Pass. Roadster	\$1445
Model L-56	, Coupe	\$1945

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DEALERS will immediately recognize the unusual opportunity that the representation of the Crow-Elkhart Multi-Powered Line offers. Desirable territory is still open. Write today for particulars about our attractive dealer franchise.



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Notwithstanding the popularity of Michelin Tires, there are some towns where dealers can still secure this valuable account. In these towns we offer the following:

- **1st**—A thoroughly tested cord tire, made by the oldest pneumatic tire maker in the world.
- **2nd**—A fabric tire of unsurpassed quality sold at a moderate price.
- 3rd—The only ring-shaped tube on the market—a tube that sells itself.
- 4th—One of the biggest and most impressive tire and tube advertising campaigns ever conducted.
- 5th—Special sales helps for individual dealers.

We invite you to write us now.



# **MICHELIN TIRE COMPANY**

Milltown, New Jersey



# HAYES wire wheels

Eldredge Buick Company Seattle, Wash.



When a shipment of H & D Shock Absorbers leave our factory, they are O. K. We know they are—because we inspect every H & D before it goes out.

And our interest is even greater after a shipment has reached our dealer—from the time the dealer puts his H & D's in stock until the ultimate Ford car owner begins to make riding over any road a pleasure instead of a series of bumps and jerks.

In order that dealers, mechanics, and consumers can get perfect operation from their H & D Shock Absorbers, we have prepared a most comprehensive

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This H & D Hand Book discusses in detail, H & D Construction—H & D Installation and Maintenance—H & D Selling Practice—and many other essential subjects of interest.

It is a booklet which every dealer should send for and read, no matter if you are at present stocking H & D Shock Absorbers—or if you expect to in the near future.

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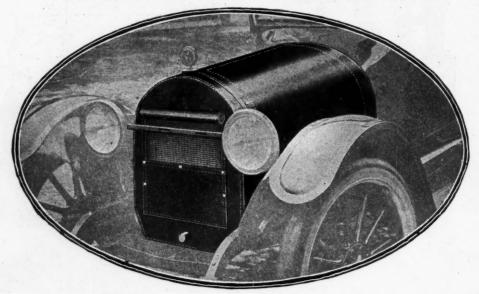
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# Baker Hood and Radiator Covers





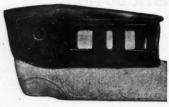
# Popular—and Easy to Sell!

MOTOR CAR owners everywhere appreciate the importance of motor protection in cold weather. Be prepared for the great demand for "Baker" Hood and Radiator covers. Make money by selling your customers these better covers. Every sale you make creates a booster for your store! It's easy to sell "Baker" Covers. Car owners in your ter-

ritory know that with them there is no longer any danger of frozen radiators or cracked water jackets!

We also have ready for delivery many other popular "Baker Winter Necessities," such as "Over the Top" Auto Tops, Anti-Draft Shields, Foot Pedal Shields, Bad Weather Mats and Rain Guards.

Buy "Baker" Automotive fabric products from your jobber or write direct to our nearest factory.



"Over the Top" Auto Tops convert your open car into a sedan. Easy to install.



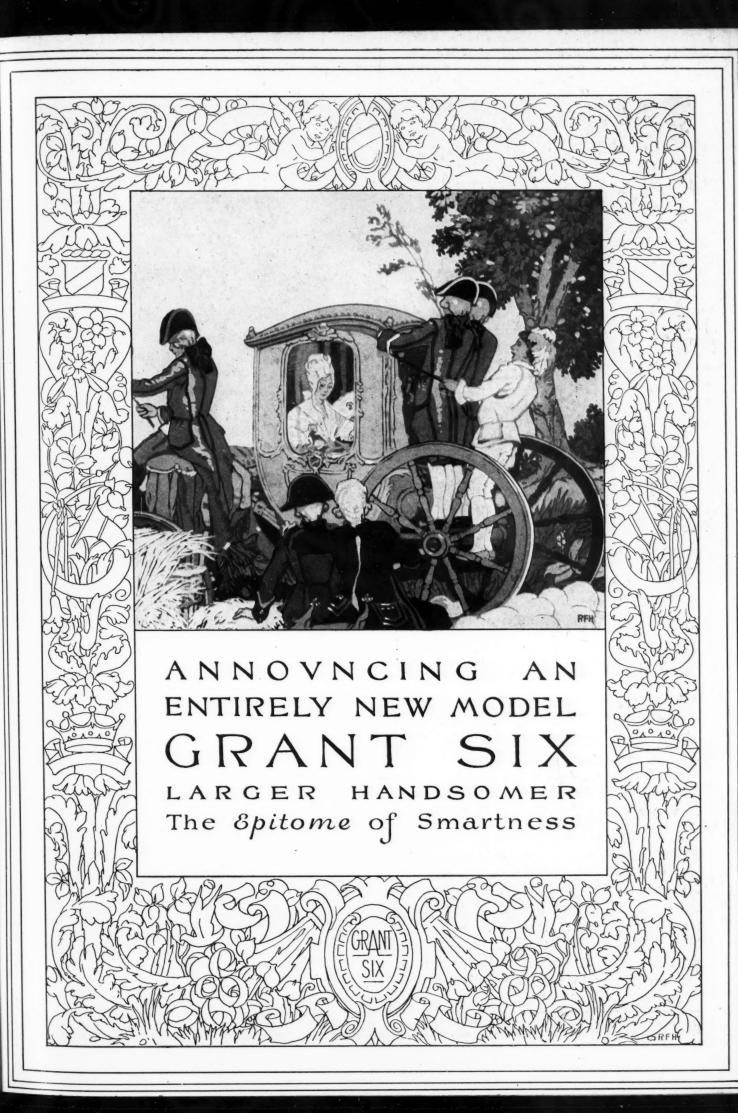


"Baker" Tire Covers are made of superior quality fabrics—all sizes

# BAKER LOCKWOOD MANUFACTURING CO.

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# A LARGER AND HANDSOMER GRANT SIX FEATURING SMARTNESS WITH DEPENDABILITY

T is with pride and confidence that we present the new Grant Six. As will be instantly discerned from a study of the illustration, this entirely new model is larger, handsomer and, of course, more powerful than any previous Grant Six. In it is embodied the full experience gained from building and marketing over fifty thousand light weight sixes.

While this new Grant expresses the light weight principle that has been a fundamental of Grant design, it is so much bigger and finer than any Grant Six heretofore built that it brings the Grant Six into an entirely new field from the standpoint of both performance and quality.

Its roomy body is one of the most beautiful ever designed. It combines the rakish, speedy lines of a sport model with the genuine comfort and roominess of a full size five-passenger touring car. It is a handsome car viewed from any position. Its long, low straight lines fairly melt into the bonnet. The new style radiator is imposing in appearance and completely in harmony with the body

lines. The top is well designed and well made. The upholstery is in genuine leather, luxurious and comfortable. Seat springs are the finest money can buy. Inside trimming is finished with leather-covered moldings. Steering wheel is 18-inch notched mahogany and carries both spark and throttle control. Instrument board is mahogany finished. Tool kit is carried in the left front door. Equipment includes a power tire pump and Boyce motometer in addition to the accessories usually furnished.

You will agree with us that the new Grant epitomizes smartness, comfort and fine engineering. Every mechanical detail measures up to the highest expectations.

# THE CHASSIS EXHIBITS REMARKABLE STRENGTH AND OPERATING EASE

Everything about the chassis denotes strength, permanent durability and convenience. It is finely designed and finely built.

The motor is powerful, clean, compact and accessible. It will make any grade that any man wants to make. It will take the car as fast as most men dare to ride and still have power in reserve. It is an overhead-valve motor with balanced crankshaft of extra large dimensions, three large bearings and a force feed oiling system that insures positive lubrication of every moving part. There are many features about it that contribute to lightness and guarantee new standards of performance that cannot be more than mentioned in this condensed circular. Suffice to say, its flexibility is pronounced, its power unusual, its economy certain. We believe buyers everywhere will be won instantly by its high quality and remarkable performance.

# EXTRA DEEP DROP FRAME

The frame is of extra deep section pressed steel, supplying a firm, substantial foundation, permanent, secure and equally suitable for open or enclosed bodies.

# LONGEST SPRINGS EVER USED WITH THIS WHEEL BASE

Springs are semi-elliptic both front and rear—  $38 \times 2$ -in. in front and  $56\frac{1}{4} \times 2$ -in. in rear—the longest springs ever used in a car of 116-inch wheel base, the rear springs being underslung. These springs are almost flat with the car loaded, the ideal toward which all engineers have striven, resulting in the easiest riding car that can be produced. Both front and rear springs are equipped with oil-less bushings, (permanently lubricated). These bushings are a comparatively new invention, the use of which has

heretofore been confined to the most expensive cars. The advantages are, of course, the elimination of squeaks together with oil cups and grease cups at these points. The spring shackles are extra long and strong.

# BIG, STRONG AXLES

Front axle is a drop forged I-Beam with steering connections of extra strength. The rear axle is floating type with one-piece pressed steel housing of exclusive design, fifty per cent stronger than the conventional two-piece housing, with 12-inch equalized brakes. All brake connections have permanently lubricated bushings. These are Columbia axles of the finest quality, workmanship and design.

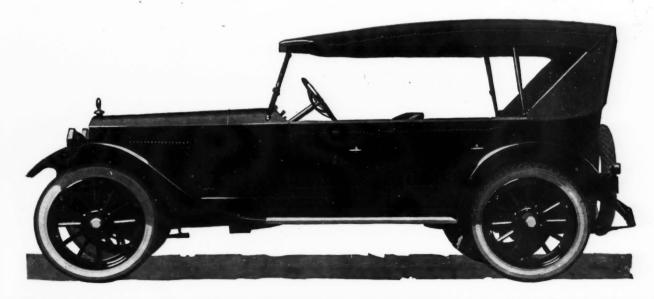
# OTHER IMPORTANT DETAILS

Propeller shaft is of tubular type with two Spicer universal joints. Transmission is of the highest grade with nickel steel gears and shafts operating with utmost ease and quietness.

Clutch is 10-in. Borg & Beck disc clutch—the best the market affords. Special attention has been paid to the steering gear. It is of the irreversible type and of finest quality; the bearing surfaces of the steering connections are all bushed. This car steers with the greatest ease and has a remarkably short turning radius.

A careful reading of the specifications will reveal the story of Grant quality in detail. After studying them we feel certain you will agree with those who say that we have succeeded in building the world's handsomest and most efficient light Six.

Details of enclosed models, including a four-door, fivepassenger Sedan and a three-passenger Coupe, will be announced later. Specifications are given on next page.



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# SPECIFICATIONS OF THE GRANT SIX

# MODEL "H"

- MOTOR—Six cylinder, over-head valve engine— 3½ x 4¼-in. bore and stroke, balanced crank shaft, force feed oiling system; three-ring piston; piston displacement 195.6 cu. inches. S. A. E. rating 23.44 H. P.
- CARBURETOR—Improved Stromberg with permanent hot air tube, connected to hot air box integral with exhaust manifold. Stewart Vacuum gasoline feed placed on dash with 16-gallon tank in rear.
- STARTING AND LIGHTING—Two-unit starting and lighting system with excessive capacity generator. Fly wheel, starting gear clutch and clutch throw-out completely housed.
- CLUTCH-10-in. Borg & Beck dry disc clutch.
- IGNITION—Atwater-Kent ignition with improved timer controlled from steering post. Prestolite storage battery.
- AXLES—Drop forged front axle, Columbia Standard I-Beam with extra strong steering connections.

Rear Axle: Columbia three-quarter floating, with one-piece pressed steel housing—fifty per cent stronger than ordinary two-piece housing. 12-in. brakes equalized; brake connections equipped with permanently lubricated bushings.

- STEERING GEAR—Bearing surfaces of steering connections bushed. Irreversible steering gear of large size; split-nut type; continuous jacket tube.
- CONTROL—Spark and throttle control on steering wheel, also horn button. 18-in. notched mahogany steering wheel. Exceptionally long nickel plated emergency brake lever, and extra long gear-shift lever.
- SPRINGS—Front springs 38 x 2-in., almost flat under load, oil-less bushings. Rear springs 56¼ x 2-in., almost flat under load; oil-less bushings. Both springs semi-elliptic.

- DRIVE—Ideal Hotchkiss with underslung rear springs.
- TRANSMISSION—Durston, three speeds forward and reverse. Speedometer drive from transmission.
- PROPELLER SHAFT—Tubular. Spicer universal joints.
- FRAME—Exceptionally strong, 5½-in. deep, ½-in. stock, 2¾-in. flanges; liberally reinforced.
- RADIATOR—Black enameled, reinforced double shell construction with removable core; mounted on trunnions.
- FENDERS—Black enameled latest "Airplane" type design, well reinforced. Anti-squeak pads interposed between fenders and frame. Head-lights carried on steel brackets joined to fenders.
- WHEEL-BASE-116-in. 11-in. road clearance.
- TIRES—32 x 4-in. Non-skid on rear. Firestone demountable rims.
- TOP—One-man top made of "Neverleek" fabric. Plate glass rear window. Side curtains opening with doors.
- BODY—Bevel edge; continuous front seat; Marshall cushion springs; genuine leather upholstery, semi-bright finish, French pleated. Outside nickel door handles; aluminum molding between radiator and hood, also between hood and body.
- COLOR—Grant Blue with black fenders and splashers.
- WHEELS-Artillery type, Grant Blue.
- EQUIPMENT Complete equipment, including Boyce motometer and Kellog Power Tire Air Pump.

# FOUR BODY STYLES:

Touring Car—Five Passengers\$1495	Sedan (Four Doors)—Five Passengers\$2450
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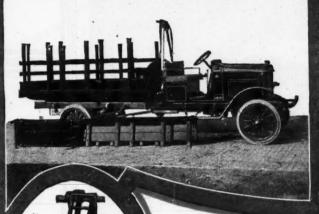
# AN OPPORTUNITY FOR DEALERS RIGHT NOW

At this moment we are adding to our sales organization. There are several wonderful opportunities for both distributors and dealers.

The pictures of the new Grant Six and the detailed description give you a good idea of the big market that exists in your own territory.

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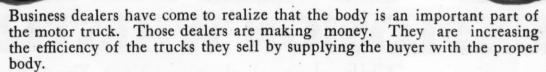
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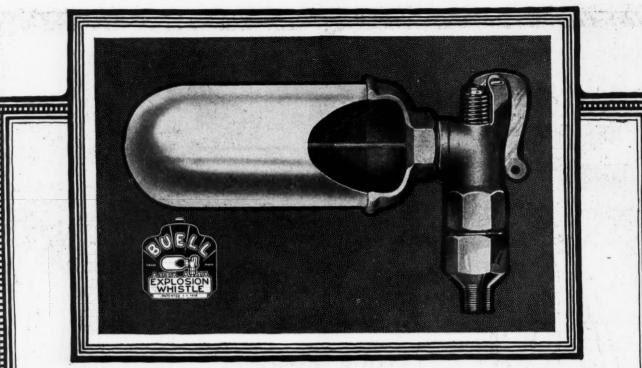
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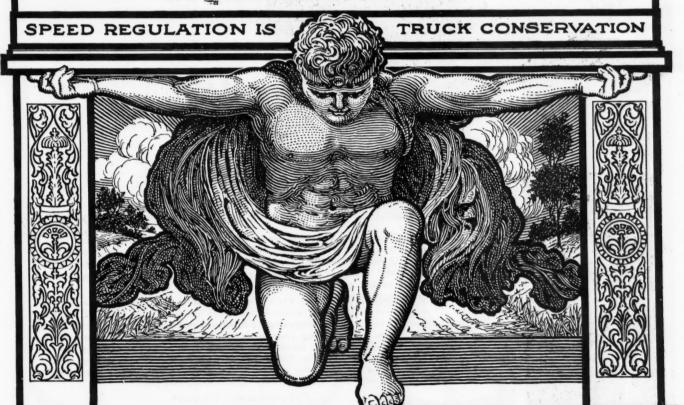
Find out which truck possesses the greatest endurance and will deliver the most ton-miles per dollar of maintenance and upkeep cost. That is what determines truck economy.

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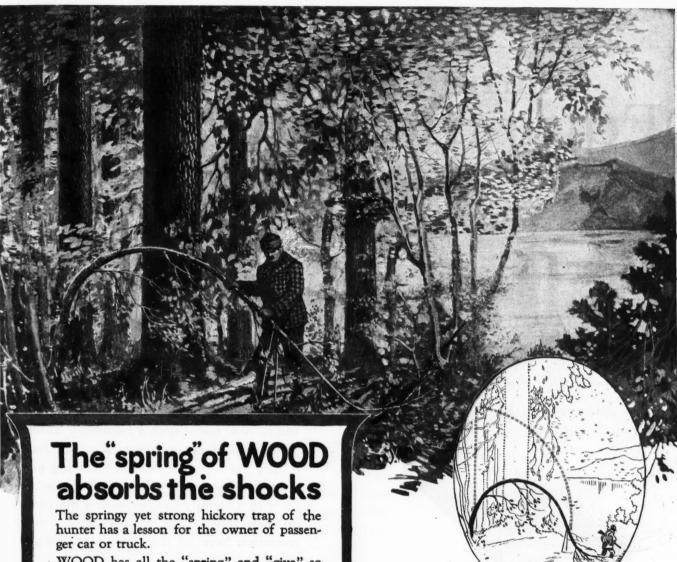
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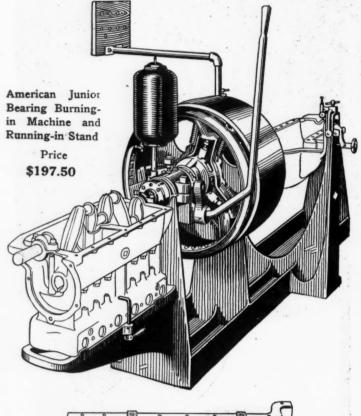
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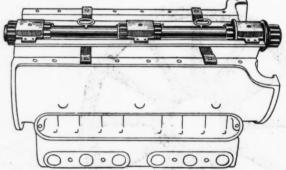
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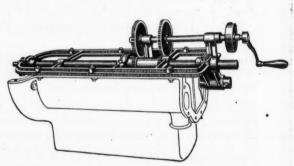
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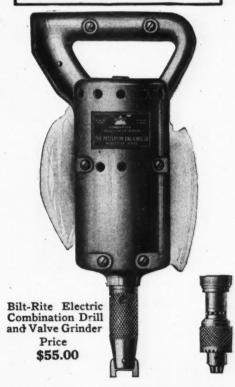
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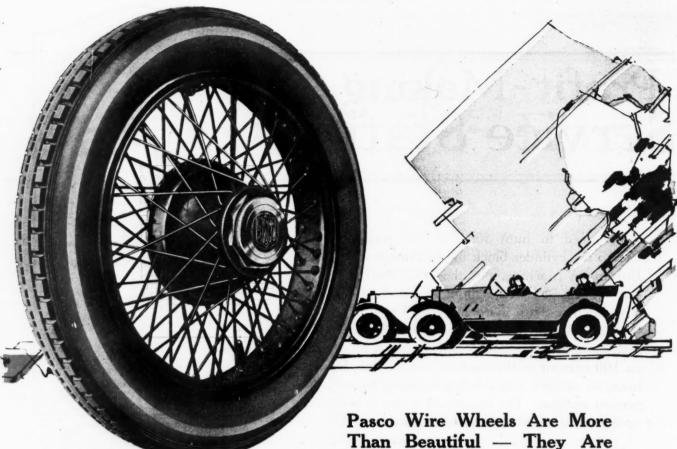
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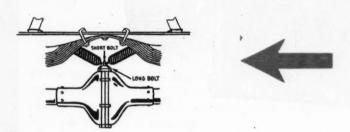
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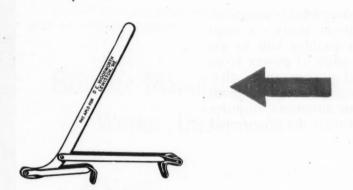
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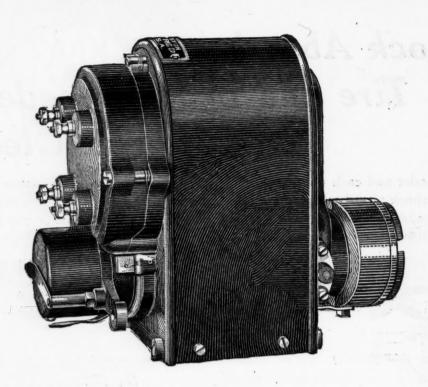
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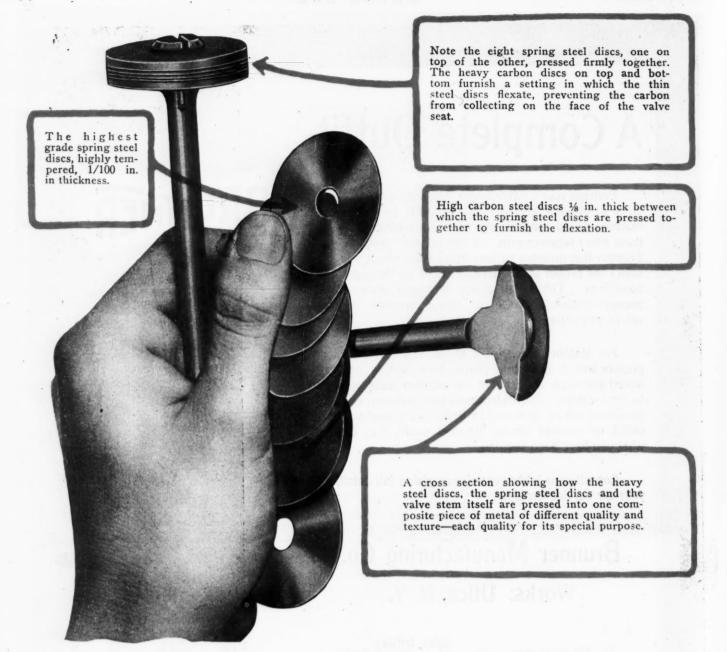
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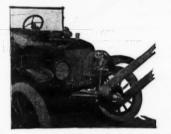
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#### Specifications

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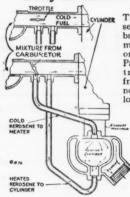
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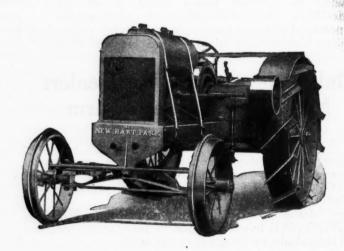
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1395	Hart-Parr	-30	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Excell	10.25	3220	3.08	26.50
	Wallis	15-25	3-14"	4	850	Gas	Good	9.42	2287	3.25	19.82
- 1	Moline Universal	9-18	2-14"	4	1600	Gas	Good	8.20	2275	3.09	18.7
	Illinois	18-36	4-14"	4	800	Ker	Good	8.12	3125	1.98	16.5
- 1	Aultman-Taylor	15-30	4-14"	4	800	Ker	Excell	8.05	2930	2.05	16.0
- 1	Monarch	18-30	3-14"	4	800	Ker	Fair	8.42	2600	2.29	15.9
-	Waterloo Boy	12-25	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Good	7.12	2480	2.39	15.7
- 1	Case	15-27	3-14"	4	950	Ker	Good	8.06	2720	2.13	15.4
	Bates Steel Mule	15-22	3-14"	4	900	Ker	Excell	7.95	2710	2.11	15.2
	Wallis	15-25	3-14"	4	850	Gas	Poor	7.18	1900	3.00	15.2
	Bates Steel Mule	15-22	3-14"	4	900	Ker	Poor	8.91	2455	2.31	15.1
	sultman-Taylor	15-30	4-14"	4	800	Ker	Poor	7.19	2800	2.05	14.9
	Frick	15-28	3-14"	4	900	Ker	Excell	8.67	2560	2.18	14.9
	Hart-Parr	-30	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Poor	8.08	1510	3.66	14.7
	Illinois	18-36	4-14"	4	. 800	Ker	Poor	8.02	2480	2.23	14.7
	Monarch	18-30	3-14"	4	800	Ker	Good	8.57	2778	1.99	14.7
	Frick	15-28	3-14"	4	900	Ker	Poor	8.00	2028	2.68	14.5
	Moline Universal	9-18	2-14"	4	1600	Gas	Poor	8.32	1643	3.07	13.4
	Emerson	12-20	3-14"	4	900	Ker	Excell	9.71	3000	1.67	13.4
	Huber	12-25	3-14"	4	1000	Ker	Fair	8.94	2158	2.33	13.4
	Cletrac	12-20	2-14"	4	1250	Ker	Good	9.40	1892	2.65	13.3
	Cletrac	12-20	2-14"	4	1250	Ker	Fair	8.85	1688	2.93	13.1
	Parrett	12-25	3-14"	4	1000	Ker	Good	8.02	1802	2.73	13.1
	J-T	16-30	3-14"	4	1000	Ker	Fair	10.07	2285	2.13	12.9
	J-T	16-30	3-14"	4	1000	Ker	Good	7.62	2038	2.39	12.9
	LaCrosse	12-24	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Fair	8.55	2160	2.23	12.8
	Parrett	12-25	3-14"	4	1000	Ker	Fair	7.66	2074	2.32	12.8
	Huber	12-25	3-14"	4	1000	Ker	Poor	8.25	1818	2.56	12.4
	Wellington		2-14"	4	1000	Ker	Good	8.60	1584	2.89	12.1
	Waterloo Boy	12-25	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Fair	7.00	1905	2.39	12.1
	Titan		3-14"	2	500	Ker	Good	7.67	1990	2.28	12.1
	Emerson	12-20	3-14"	4	900	Ker	Poor	7.66	1820	2.44	11.8
	Case		3-14"	4	950	Ker	Poor	9.08	1995	2.24	11.7
	LaCrosse	12-24	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Good	8.31	2000	2.19	11.6
	LaCrosse	12-24	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Fair	8.70	2080	2.07	11.5
218	Avery	12-25	3-14"	2	570	Ker	Good	8.62	2710	1.37	11.2
	LaCrosse	12-24	3-14"	2	750	Ker	Good	7.00	1748	2.33	10.8
	Fordson	10-20	2-14"	4	1000	Ker	Good	7.68	1304	3.09	10.7
	Heider	12-20	3-14"	4	750	Ker	Fair	6.37	1972	2.04	10.7
	Whitney	9-18	2-14"	2	750	Gas	Excell	6.62	1520	2.63	10.6
	Wellington		2-14"	4	1000	Ker	Poor	8.26	1666	2.22	9.8
	Heider		3-14"	4	750	Ker	Poor	7.56	1922	1.91	9.8
	Avery	12-25	3-14"	2	570	Ker	Fair	8.02	1403	2.55	9.5
	Case	10-18	2-14"	4	1050	Ker	Poor	8.04	1290	2.70	9.3
	I H C		2-14"	4	1000	Ker	Good	7.41	1642	2.15	9.3
	Case		2-14"	4	1050	Ker	Good	7.30	1418	2.43	9.2
	Fordson	10-20	2-14"	4	1000	Ker	Fair	7.75	1320	2.53	8.9
	I H C	8-16	2-14"	4	1000	Ker	Poor	7.68	1600	1.99	. 8.4
	Reliable	10-20	2-14"	2	600	Ker	Good	8.72	1575	1.91	8.0
	Whitney	9-18	2-14"	2	750	Gas	Poor	6.87	1295	2.31	8.0
	Shelby		2-14"	4	1100	Gas	Fair	7.95	2100	1.42	- 7.9
	Titan		2-14"	2	500	Ker	Poor	7.22	1800	1.59	7.6
	Heider	9-16	2-14"	4	800	Ker	Poor	8.25	1312	2.07	7.2
	Heider		2-14"	4	800	Ker	Poor	6.92	1266	2.03	6.8
	Shelby		2-14"	4	1100	Gas	Poor	7.50	1246	2.06	6.8
	Reliable	10-20	2-14"	2	600	Ker	Poor	6.86	1000	1.96	5.3

Data from Official report of Ohio State University. Fuel data from official cards.

### **How Tests** were held

The big Ohio Tractor Tests were held on July 28-29, Aug. 1-2, Aug. 6-7, Aug. 12-13, in four different locations in order to get a variety of conditions.

Only one tractor of each size or model of the same make was entered.

Exhibitors entered the same tractor in all four demonstrations, same being transported from place to place by special train.

No substitution of tractors was allowed. If a breakdown occurred, the tractor was repaired on the field and later removed under

held and later removed under its own power.

Each field plowed was divided into lands which were conspicuously numbered. The size of each land allotted the different tractors was proportionate to the number of bottoms pulled. The land was allotted by drawing.

The depth of plowing was announced at each field demonstration.

### Drawbar Tests

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All tractors entering demonstrations were required to submit to the drawbar tests.

The same plow pulled by each tractor in the demonstration was used in the drawbar tests.

After the dynamometer had been placed in position, one round was allowed for adjustments.

Drawbar tests were made on the new Gulley Dynamometer made expressly for the Department of Agricultural Engineering.

The normal plowing test was made during the second round; the maximum drawbar test during the third round.

Fuel was supplied from a common tank for each test.

The tests were of approximately three-fourths hour duration.

The figures selected in the accompanying table are the best tests of each day made by the different tractors.

HART-PARR COMPANY Eounders of the Tractor Industry 514 Lawler St., Charles City, Iowa



### The Package Idea

Gilmer Woven Endless Fan Belts are packed in attractive "saleshelp" cartons, each containing twenty-five belts of one size to fit a certain group of cars. Group number and name GILMER stenciled on each belt. There's a belt for every car using flat type belts.

The carton plan of stocking belts, originated by Gilmer, has replaced the old style method of carrying belts in bulk with its actual loss and confusion.

Most dealers find it to their interest to carry complete assortments.

H. GILMER CO., PHILADELPHIA, PA

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# 'The car builder's choice is good enough for me"

More than 8 out of 10 cars are GILMER equipped

ERE'S a Fan Belt that stays on the job long after ordinary Belts have commenced to slip or stretch or stick or have become unfit for efficient service.

Exhaustive laboratory experiments and hundreds of road tests have proven that the Fan Belt that resists heat, oil and moisture will wear longest and best.

The Gilmer scientific process of treating and weaving Belting made of long staple cotton was one of the most important discoveries made in Belt history.

Thanks to this process, Gilmer Belts completely resist heat, moisture and oil, which means that when in use the character of this Belt never changes from

the moment it is installed until it is completely worn out. It never stretches nor shrinks, never grows hard and slippery or loses its shape.

It never jumps or jerks at the joint, or splice, because there are no joints or splices. Gilmer Fan Belts are woven endless, one continuous strip that permits the Belt to grip the pulley "true and snug" all the way around with never a slip or a jerk.

Follow the judgment of car builders when buying a Fan Belt. They know. Eight out of ten cars being built today are equipped at the factory with Gilmer Belts. If so many car builders, after making hundreds of scientific experiments and road tests, all agree on one make of Belt, the reason is very obvious.

### "Carry `a Spare"

A Spare Fan Belt is as necessary as a Spare Tire. Make two sales instead of one. Urge your customers to "Carry a Spare." Don't try to judge Fan Belt merit by appearance, weight or feel. Remember, heat and moisture are a Fan Belt's worst enemies. Don't run the risk of impairing the efficiency of your cooling system by using a Belt which might cause serious engine trouble for you.

Insist upon the genuine—Gilmer dependability has no substitute.

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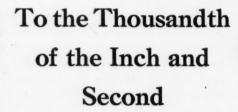


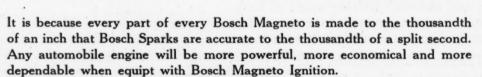
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Shows that ordinary
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and disintegrate rapidty when in actual service under the hood. In
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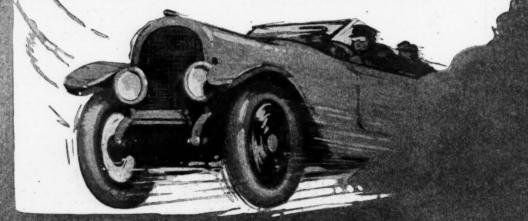
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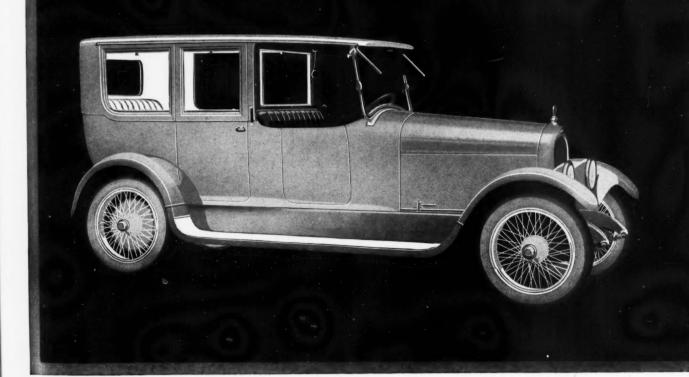
AMERICA'S SUPREME IGNITION SYSTEM

MOTOR TRUCKS - TRACTORS - AIRPLANES - MOTOR CARS - MOTOR BOATS - MOTORCYCLES - GAS ENGINES - ETC



Below is pictured an exact likeness of the Marmon Limousines sold to the French High Commission for the use of the General Staff. No greater distinction has been conferred on any American car.





### Years of Progress

OUNDED in 1851, Nordyke & Marmon Company has progressed and prospered through all the shifting currents of time and trade for sixty-eight years. It has triumphed through periods of depression, through wars and financial panics. It has built up a good will that is outstanding in the automobile world—because the company has ever been faithful to the traditions of the founders. In producing the best article at a fair price no sacrifice should be too great to make.

NORDYKE & MARMON COMPANY
Established 1851
INDIANAPOLIS



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HE advertising publications are printing long articles telling about the bold, unique and sensible advertising campaign of the Mutual Truck Company.

### \$60,000 in BUSINESS papers and several times that amount in local newspapers

Our double-page campaign in TRADE JOURNALS (see miniature reproduction) talks straight business to a MILLION BIG BUSINESS MEN, in their own offices, in papers that they look to for advice in buying all their plant equipment; for a Motor Truck is a piece of plant equipment and is bought as such.

Who are your best "prospects" for a high-quality, heavy-haulage Truck? Aren't they the big manufacturers and wholesalers in your territory?

And the professional Teaming Companies? And the Farmers, Stockraisers, Grain and Produce Men?

These are the men-the big men-that we talk to week-by-week and month-by-month, thru their "Business Bibles;" and the way their inquiries are coming in proves that they are deeply interested in what we have to say about

### "America's Greatest Truck"

They are the sort of men who want the very best and have the money to pay for what they buy.

When you become our agent, you will find that we have already created the demand among the Captains of Industry and Trade in your territory.

This campaign uses the 65 leading Trade Papers in the following industries:

### Heavy-Haulage Industries Reached by this Campaign

Brick and Clay Products
Building Materials
Candy Manufacturers
Cement and Concrete
City Officials
Coal—Wholesale and Retail
Contractors and Engineers
Chemical Industries
Creameries and Dairies
Department Stores
Electric Light Companies
Express Companies
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Farmers Express Companies
Farmers
Fleet Owners
Flour and Feed Stores
Flour Mills Foundries Furniture Mfrs. and Dealers Furniture Mfrs, and Dealers
Fruit Shippers
Gas Companies
Grain Dealers
Hides and Leather
Highway Commissioners
Ice Cream Manufacturers
Implement Manufacturers
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Ship Builders
Ship Chandlers
Shoe Mfrs. and Wholesalers
Stock Raisers
Sugar Mills
Tanneries
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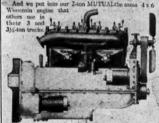
### "America's Greatest

UR campaign also includes general business papers for Executives—such as System, Industrial Management, National Banker, Purchasing Agent, Etc. And this list is being added to, week-by-week.



MUTUAL SUPER SPECIFICATIONS (TWO TON)

#### America's Greatest Truck Engine



### America's Greatest Truck Governor

### \$300,000 in Local Newspapers

The minute our sales contract is closed with you, we begin a whirlwind local newspaper campaign over your signature, in your own leading newspapers, giving them \$300,000 for the first 1000 trucks we build—a campaign that will make so big a "noise" that Mutual Dealers will soon dominate the whole high-class truck business for their territories.

### **Backed By a Whole Rich County**

Back of the Mutual Truck Company stands the citizenship and the wealth of Sullivan County, Indiana-a county famous for its rich farms, its pedigreed live stock, its 50 operating coal mines, its oil wells, its natural gas, its 14 prosperous Banks and for its HUSTLE. For this is essentially a community enterprise, backed by the wealth and the earnest purpose of a great wealthy county; and our 500 stockholders can command more millions than we shall ever need, to realize their underlying ambition to make Sullivan the home of America's Greatest Truck Company.

#### Truck" -ton

WE reproduce below, a photograph in miniature of one of the big double page "spreads" that we are running in weekly and monthly Business Papers reaching hundreds of thousands of proprietors and executives of America's heavy-haulage industries.



#### America's Greatest Truck Universal

#### America's Greatest Truck Transmission

rd and reverse. A simple urly, dependable gear-set ed by leading high-priced ack makers on their 3 and



### America's Greatest Truck Axles (Ball Bearing)



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#### And These. Too. Are Greatest:

And These, Too, Are Greatest:

Parish and Bingham pressed steel Frame; extra
heavy type. Length 224 inches.

Mather Chrome Vanadism Springs.

Smith Metal Wheels for solid tires—regular equipment
and not a costly extra.

Dayton Steel Wheels for pacumatic tires.

Goodyear or Firestane Tires; 36x 4 solid for front
whoch and 36x8 for roor; or same makes of Paumakie tires as an option, at an extra cost.

Ross Steering Gear—with 20 inch wheel (not 17-18
inch).

inch)

Perfex Radiator, worth a big story in itself.

Bosch Magneto—type ZR4 with impulse-starter. Dust proof and water proof.

Stromberg Carburetori type M.

Bound Brook Oilless Bushings: throughout.

Weather-tite Cab—tit for a King; regular equipment.

Powell Muffler—12 sections. Remarkably allent.

Electric Steel Castings at vital points, where others use Mallables.

25-Gallon Casoline Tank
Special 22 gallon Reserve Lubricating Oil Tank.
Wheel base—150 inch.

### Buy One "Mutual"

We rise or fall on this test; and remember, we have vastly core at stake than you.

MUTUAL TRUCK COMPANY. SULLIVAN. INDIANA. U. S. A

### 100 Dealers-10 Trucks Each

or their equivalent will be all that we can take care of between now and spring; so you will have to Act Quickly if you want to cash-in on the most effective truck advertising campaign ever staged; and to have the honor of being selected as the local representative of what is actually

America's Greatest Truck

# Super-Specifications (2 ton)

Wisconsin Engine, four 4 inch cylinders, with 6 inch stroke; developing 36 horse power at 1000 r.p.m. A"3 ton" engine in a 2 ton truck, America's Greatest Truck Engine in endurance, smooth running, reliability, gas economy.

Hele-Shaw Clutch, Universal No. 5, with multiple discs in oil bath. Costs us three or four times as much as clutches used on most trucks.

Duplex Governor, double control. (Not Simplex, single control) Governs both engine speed and road speed and adds years of life to the truck by preventing its abuse.

Sheldon Rear Axle, Ball bearing, semi-floating type. Less frictional resistance, greater simplicity, greater carrying capacity and lower maintenance cost than any other truck rear axle. We put their 2½ ton size (built for 20% overload) on our 2 ton Mutual—or the same that others use on their 3 ton trucks.

Spicer Universal. Three joints in shaft and the fourth in our universal clutch. We put same size of Spicer Universal into our 2 ton Mutual that you'll find in other 3 ton and 31/2 tons trucks.

Fuller Transmission. "G5," selective—Four speeds forward and reverse. Most trucks offer only three speeds. We give you the same Fuller unit on our 2 ton Mutual that other truck makers put into their 3 and 31/2 ton machines.

Parish & Bingham Pressed Steel Frame, extra heavy type. Length, 24 inches. Big enough for any 3 ton truck. Wheel base, 150 inches.

Mather Chrome Vanadium Springs, scientifically heat treated; unequaled for lightness, flexibility, endurance.

Smith Metal Wheels for solid tires—regular equipment and not a costly extra. We could buy best quality wood wheels at half the cost.

Dayton Steel Wheels for pneumatic tires.

Goodyear or Firestone Tires, 36x4 solid for front wheels and 36x8 for rear wheels, where other makers supply either 36x7 or 36x4 dual; at a much lower cost.

Westinghouse Starting and Lighting System; regular equipment.

Ross Steering Gear with 20 in. wheel (not 17 or 18 in.) Perfex Radiator, cast tank type. Most efficient and

Perfex Kadiator, cast tank type. Most efficient and longest-lived radiator ever built. Our special self-lubricating "floating" spring suspension absolutely insures radiator against road shocks.

Bosch Magneto—ZR4. Dust proof and water proof. Stromberg Carburetor. Type M, insuring maximum power, low throttle, rapid acceleration, giving highest efficiency from low grade fuels now in use.

Bound Brook Oilless Bushings throughout.

"Weather-tite" Enclosed Cab—fit for a king-

"Weather-tite" Enclosed Cab — fit for a king; regular equipment. Other makers charge from \$150 to \$200 extra for this type of cab.

Powell Muffler with 12 sections, instead of 10 or less used on most other trucks.

Electric Steel Castings, at vital points, where others use malleables.

25 Gallon Gasoline Tank.

Special 2½ Gallon Reserve Lubricating Oil Tank. An unusually practical and valuable feature.

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Come to Sullivan That's the best way; wire us that you are coming, then come. We are 26 miles due south of Terre Haute in S. W. Indiana, along the Illinois border—on the main line of the C. & E. I. and a "cross" line of the Illinois Central. Also reached by trolley every hour from Terre Haute. You will be our guest while in town—and we'll treat you "white." Before you leave us, you will know we are actually producing America's Greatest Truck, and will be "wild" to get back on the territory with a demonstrator. Telegraph you're coming—then come.

MUTUAL TRUCK COMPANY

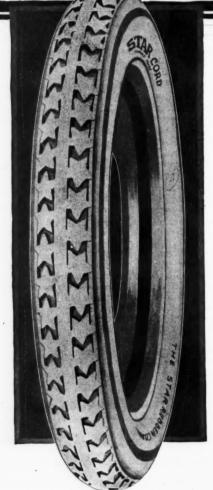
Sullivan, Indiana, U.S.A.

Some Extras
Worth Talking
About



2 STATES AND SEA

# STAR HANDAUE TURES



Made In CORD or FABRIC T'S a big help to the man who sells tires to have actual evidence of the mileage he is selling in the tire itself.

Proof of the splendid mileage of STAR Hand-Made, Extra Ply TIRES is there in the cross-section to be seen; and measured; and compared;

- -the extra ply of fabric adding 20% to 30% more carcass strength.
- —extra wide breaker strip—to better distribute and minimize shocks.
- -extra thick cushion of pure gum that really "cushions".
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- —the unusual amount of tread rubber accurately compounded to resist wear.

And not an ounce of reclaimed or substitute rubber in a single Star!

These are extras it profits the dealer to talk about and the customer to listen to; they insure a transaction of mutual gain—both seller and buyer profit. Can business be done on a sounder basis?

You should have details of the Star exclusive franchise. Write—or wire,

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# Here is where most Tube Leakage comes

# DURAL TUBES are Guaranteed Against this very Leakage

Leakage at the valve joint is the most common of tube troubles. But you'll never experience it in a Dural Tube. They are guaranteed against valve base leakage. The construction prevents it.

Valve bases of Dural tubes are imbedded hermetically in pure rubber, reinforced with the highest grade of Sea Island Duck instead of the commonly used canvas.

You who are used to having your tubes pumped up every few days, buy a Dural and see for yourself that our guarantee is justified.

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-and yet They Cost No More Than Ordinary Tubes

Read this Dural Guarantee of Quality "We will replace free of charge any Dural Antimony Red Tube leaking at the splice, leaking at the valve joint, porous or out of shape, if it is returned to us within one year from date."

Write today for the Dural dealer proposition—it's a liberal offer for a tube that insures satisfied customers.



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Largest Makers of Air-Craft Rubber Parts in America, Dural Woven Brake-Lining and Radiator Hose

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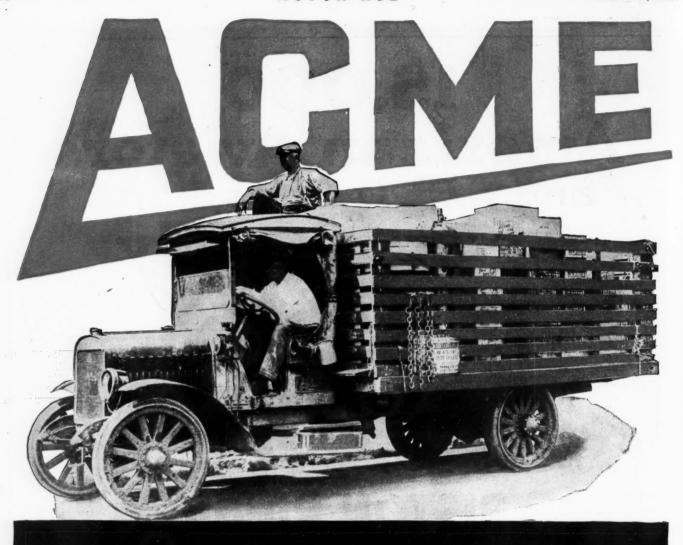
But long before America entered the World War, thousands of British and French Aviators used Burdequipped planes.

The rigid Hispano-Suiza Engine tests conclusively demonstrated that Burd High Compression Piston Rings are unequaled—positively unrivaled by any other piston ring.

### All Jobbers Sell Them

Ask your jobber or write us for full information, dealers' prices, discounts, etc.

BURD HIGH COMPRESSION RING CO., Rockford, Illinois



### Why Acme Leads

THIS story of the McWhorter truck shows why Acme owners have such faith in the Acme, and why dealers everywhere take pride in their Acme connections.

McWhorter's truck is a 2-tonner bought in January 1918, and since then has been operating in freight service continuously. It travels 60 to 120 miles every day. In fact two Acme trucks move a big share of the merchandise and freight to Lewisville, Texas.

The Acme has required comparatively tew parts, and there has been no complaint, or regret, as far as fuel consumption and cost of up-keep is concerned.

### When you sell the Acme you sell a truck that can do anything there is to be done

Acme performance is assured by the adoption of such proved units like Continental motor, Timken axles, bearings and drive, Borg & Beck clutch, Ross Steering Gear, Cotta Transmission, with gears always in mesh, and all other parts of equal high grade, correctly assembled in a well-balanced truck.

Built in 1, 11/2, 2, 31/2, and 5-ton models

Write for our dealer proposition and an outline of our big national advertising campaign; also a copy of "Pointers to Profits." Address Dept 136. Two-ton ACME owned by J. S. McWhorter, Dallas, giving a good account of itself in the gruelling service of the Texas oil fields.

The Seal of Dependable Performance



Trade-Mark Registered U. S. Patent Office

ACME MOTOR TRUCK COMPANY, CADILLAC, MICH.

# WOLET DAY LEGAL GLARELESS AND SAFE

THE BLUE LENS WITH BLACK VISOR

\$3 per pair
Any size

West of the Rockies \$3.50 Canada \$4 per pair

Here is the new lens that is so rapidly climbing into favor — The Violet Ray.

You can look into it with the light on full, without batting an eye.

Make such a test yourself. Then try the same stunt with any other lens.

The Violet Ray Lens is made of blue glass, and blue absorbs all glare rays.



The Violet Ray gives you a big, white light on the road.

The best driving light you ever drove behind.

The light is thrown down and to the sides where you need it.

And the black visor prevents any dangerous upward shafts.

The smart design and color add a dressed-up appearance to the car.

Dealers handling the Violet Ray are glad to acknowledge a change for the better in the lens business. The demand is taxing our factory capacity. Write for our dealer proposition. We also make the More-Lite Len, over a million pairs of which are now in service.

L. E. SMITH GLASS CO.

Mount Pleasant, Pa.



### The Spike Test Battery vs. A Cold Morning

The Mac-Lar Battery Fuses Steel in a Few Seconds

Demonstrate this fact in your own garage with the "Spike" Test.

Two pliers and two 20-penny spikes are the only tools required. Hold a spike to each of the terminals by means of the pliers. Short circuit the battery by touching the free ends of the spikes. Instantly the spikes turn red. A few seconds more and they are literally burning up.

Our 18 months' written guarantee protects you.

Three advantages, combined exclusively in the Mac-Lar, insure this strength and durability. First, extremely hard plates make for long life. Second, it has 25% extra capacity for the same plate area, and a higher momentary discharge rate than any soft plate battery. Third, its recharging efficiency is unusually high.

Mac-Lar fits 99 automobiles out of every hundred.

It replaces more than 51 combinations and shapes of other batteries.

Four standard models, built in 6 and 12-volt shapes, make possible this universal replacement.

The 6-volt Mac-Lar sells for \$25; the 12-volt for \$36.

The Mac-Lar Master Storage Battery is built complete in our own factory by men with years of experience in the manufacture and merchandising of automobile storage batteries. The Mac-Lar is built for you—A Dependable Replacement Battery.

Your territory may still be open. Our sales plan will appeal to you. Write or wire for our dealer proposition.

MAC-LAR BATTERY COMPANY, INC., Detroit, U. S. A.

### The Brunswick Policy

### Demands We Build the Best

POR 74 years this truth has guided Brunswick production—highest quality wins greatest success. The corps of experts in our factory has one standing order—to build the best tires possible, regardless of cost.

Every known tire feature has been adopted for Brunswicks. Materials—the choicest we can buy—are tested in our laboratory. The smallest details of workmanship are watched with scrutinizing care.

We guard jealously the cherished reputation of Brunswick products. Each tire must contribute its share of fame to this old name.

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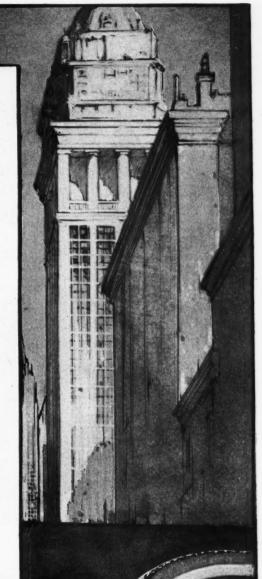
Our selling organization reaches throughout the country. Its magnitude enables us to save on the selling cost. Dealers and motorists benefit by Brunswick service. We will send complete information to dealers on request.

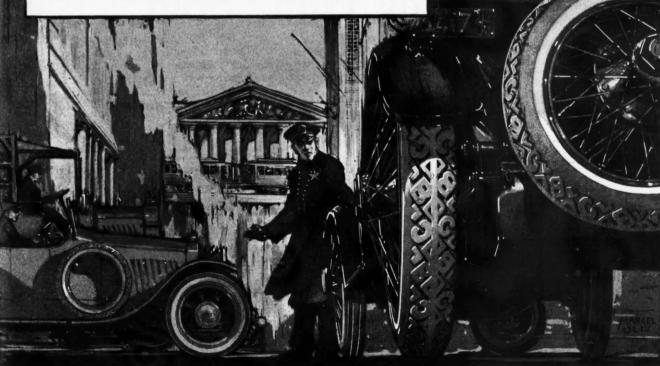
An actual test on your own car with one Brunswick will convince you of its superiority.

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Branches in the Principal Cities of the United States and Canada There's a Brunsuick Tire for Every Car — Cord, Fabric, Solid Truck







# Keeping Him "Sold"

Westinghouse values highly the opinion of the man who RIDES and the man who READS.

So not content with putting the highest quality into starting, lighting and ignition equipment, and furnishing service to the user, Westinghouse does still more.

In addition to its many selling forces that are founded on engineering ability, manufacturing experience and service, Westinghouse has another that is ever at work extending good will for the name "Westinghouse"—the force of advertising.

Westinghouse advertising is put every month before millions of motor car and motor truck owners or prospective buyers—which is one of the reasons why Westinghouse Equipment is so frequently "sold" before the car is sold.

For your own protection and to keep valid the Westinghouse quarantee, use only Westinghouse repair parts, which can be obtained from authorized service stations in all parts of the country.

WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC & MANUFACTURING CO.

Automobile Equipment Department

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Automobile Equipent Service Department, 6905 Susquehanna St., E. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Works, Newark, N. J., and Springfield, Mass.

Westinghouse

STARTING LIGHTING B IGNITION EQUIPMENT

# TRIONE



## The Three-Piece Snap Piston Ring

In heavy structures — and in TRIONE Piston Rings—strength is obtained by the angle beam.

And science demands in a piston ring results that can be obtained only by three-piece construction. The TRIONE angle beam inner ring gives the three-piece ring the strength that makes it practical.

The TRIONE is three snap rings in one. Snap ring simplicity; with effectiveness tripled.

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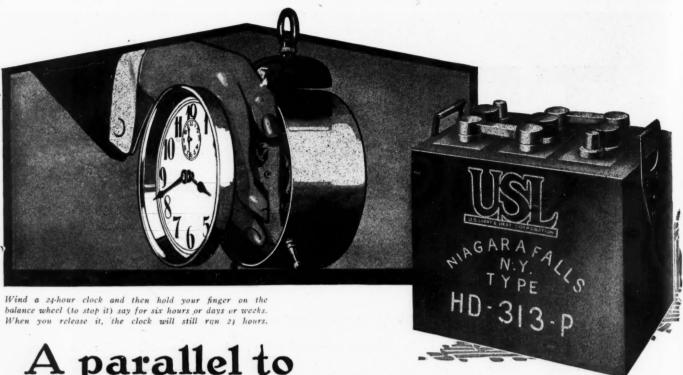
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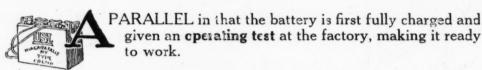
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# A parallel to USL" Charged" Storage Batteries



Then the electrolyte is drawn off—and the battery sealed air tight. Now it can't work.

In this state, action cannot go on until the battery is unsealed and filled again with electrolyte; then regardless of the lapse of time between the finishing test at the factory and the day it's put in service, the battery delivers every hour of the work built into it at the start.

This USL "Dry-Charged" is the only method which makes it possible for the motorist to buy a battery that is perfected and tested at the factory; then held inactive, until ready for use. Not an hour of its service has been used; it's not shelf worn; it's as perfect as though placed on your car and driven away fresh from our testing rooms in Niagara Falls.

Before you buy your next battery let the USL Service man in your town tell you all about USL "Dry-Charged," USL machine-pasted plates and the USL 15-months guaranteed adjustment plan.

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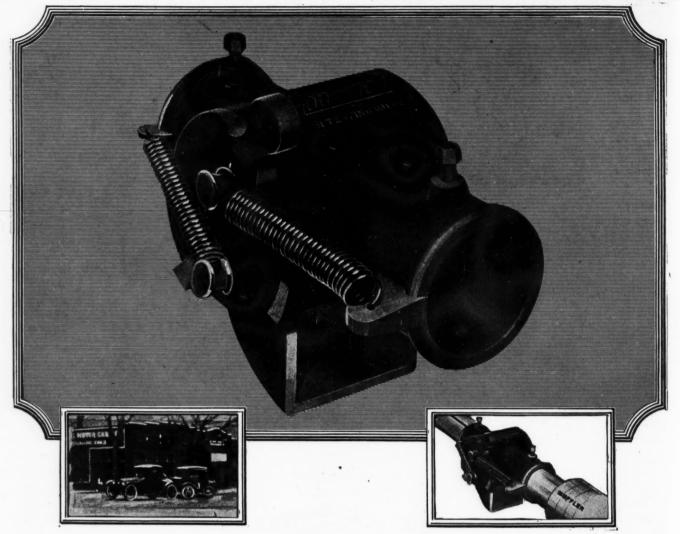
and largest builder of carburetors in America, has perfected a special carburetor for Maxwell cars. The Maxwell Special is simple, staunch, flexible and easily controlled. It will get the last atom of power from your gas. It will operate smoothly, easily, dependably. If you have never known the complete satisfaction in having a carburetor that meets every demand, all the time, in good conditions and in bad, investigate this special Maxwell Kingston. It has been built for the Maxwell owner. It will solve, once and for all, his carburetor problems. It is backed by the strongest guarantee that we know how to make.

TO MAXWELL OWNERS—The price of this super carburetor, with hot-air stove complete, is \$11.00. If your dealer can't supply you send order to us direct. TO DEALERS—Write at once for special proposition.

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### A Missing Engine Is a Glutton for Gas

Be Sure all Cylinders are Working

E VERY car should be tested before it leaves the garage to make sure that all the cylinders are working properly.

Your engine can have no secrets from you when it is equipped with a Goodrich Motor Testing Valve. It distinctly reproduces every pulsation of the engine and instantly reveals any irregularity.

The bell mouth opening of the Goodrich Motor Testing Valve greatly intensifies the sound of each explosion, allows ample space for the expansion of gases and relieves the motor of all back pressure.

It is so simply constructed, so strong, so easily installed, so impervious to hard knocks and adverse conditions—that it is indispensable on all cars whose drivers want to know at all times how their engines are performing.

Guaranteed to last the life of the car without sticking, slowing up, carbonizing or giving trouble of any kind.

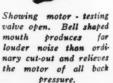
DEALERS are doing a profitable business with Goodrich Motor Testing Valves. Write for terms and particulars.

A Size for every Car or Truck. Ford Size—List Price \$1.75—including Pedal, Pulley and Cable. Larger sizes at corresponding prices.

### GOODRICH-LENHART MFG. CO.

36 Pine Street, Hamburg, Pa.







Showing motor - testing value closed. Revolving shutter with knife edge absolutely prevents the formation of carbon.





# SAVAGE

The product about which we have been talking for the past month is a

### REAR AXLE

In a series of announcements during the next few weeks we will outline to you some of the undesirable things that Savage axles will not do.



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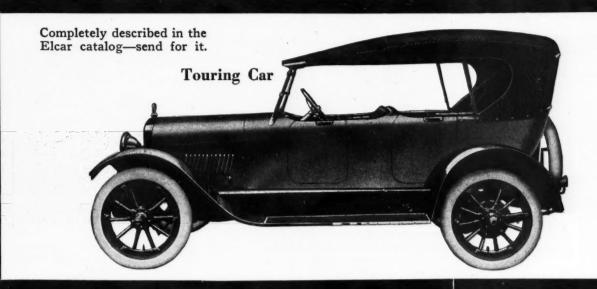
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#### A Few ELCAR Winning Points

Four-cylinder models have powerful long stroke Elcar-Lycoming motor, developing 37½ horsepower at 2,100 r.p.m. Sixcylinder models have Red Seal Continental 3¼ by 4½ inch engine, developing 40 horsepower at 2,100 r.p.m. Sixes and fours are practically the same outside of motors. Two-unit electrical system. 116-inch wheel base. Road clearance, 10½ inches. Full floating rear axle with spiral bevel driving gears. Tim ken Roller Bearing front and rear. Double universal drive; tubular propeller shaft. Copper cellular radiators. Easy riding, semi-elliptic spring suspension. Roomy, comfortable bodies of beautiful design and durable finish; new "Cathedral Pipe" upholstering. Equipment complete even to motometer on radiator.

### You Too Will Agree That the Elcar Is \$500 Better Value Than Its Price

Compare the Elcar with cars of a similar price. It outlooks, out-values, out-performs, out-classes them all.

Long, sweeping, graceful lines; 116-inch wheelbase; durable, lustrous finish and refinement of appointments; powerful, flexible motor; excellent spring suspension; perfection in mechanical details; render the ELCAR truly a wonder car at its price.

**Dealers:** If the agency in your territory is one of the few still open, write for particulars.

ELKHART CARRIAGE AND MOTOR CAR COMPANY



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### PRICES

4 Cylinder Models

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5 Touring ....\$1225

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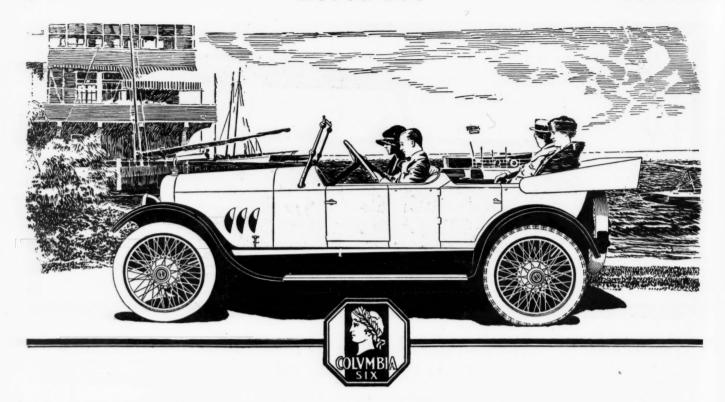
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## The Son's Reason

Young men, also, like the Columbia Six.

Some of the best known sportsmen in the country drive it. There's a thorough-bred, high-s p i r i t e d look of action, sturdiness and power to it. The Columbia Six appeals to the young man with red blood in his veins.

You will seldom find a car that pleases the young man in every respect and still pleases other members of the family the way the Columbia Six does.

A Columbia Sales contract is a sure way of building a profitable, increasing and permanent business.

### Note This—GOOD Units CLEAR THROUGH

Timken Axles—Continental Red Seal Motor—Detroit Pressed Steel Company Frame—Radiator with "Sylphon" Thermostatically Controlled Shutters—Spicer Universal Joints—Borg & Beck Clutch—Durston Transmission—Detroit Steel Products Company's Springs—Gemmer Steering Gear—Auto Lite Starting & Lighting—Atwater-Kent Ignition—Stromberg Carburetor—Prest-O-Lite Storage Battery—Painting and Trimming by The American Auto Trimming Co.—Pantasote Top—Firestone Tires.

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I N wheel bearing equipment there's only one best—BOWER.



Make childs play ANYWHERE of load and thrust

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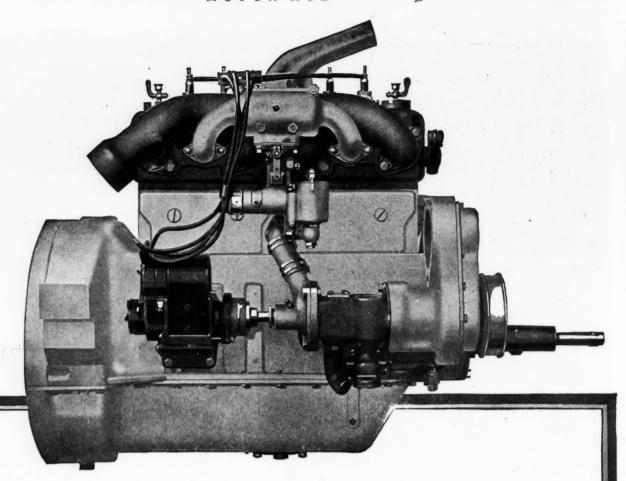
Exclusive Bower Features

Separate bearing surfaces for load and thrust. Parallel raceways. Self-aligning. Never need adjusting. Does not develop end thrust under loads. Will not bind or end-slip.









### A Motor of All-Round Efficiency and Quality

The design of the G. B. & S. motor speaks for itself.

It tells a story of simplicity, strength and accessibility.

No motor was ever more carefully developed in every detail.

No motor ever offered the automotive industry develops more *power* for its bore and stroke.

It was our idea to build a *better* motor rather than to exploit new ideas of motor construction.

Hence the G. B. & S. motor is better in many obvious ways.

It develops unusual power at moderate speed.

It shows surprising efficiency with low grade fuel.

It features new standards of simplicity, accessibility and adaptability.

It features moderate weight—425 pounds complete.

It features large bearings, heavy crankshaft, extra strength in every detail.

In every way it is an unusually fine motor.

Write for the handsome new catalogue and further information.

### Golden, Belknap & Swartz Company

Detroit, U.S.A.

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G-B motors



THE NEW YORK BETHLEHEM ORGANIZATION

### New York speaks:

A year and a half ago, when I secured the Bethlehem distributorship in the metropolitan district, my organization consisted of three men. Today, my New York Bethlehem organization is fifty-three men. This is in addition to an Associate Dealer Organization of fifty-two dealers, all programming with me.

Measured by results secured by other metropolitan truck dealers, this is considered an enormous success. I personally believe it is directly attributable to the Bethlehem product, and the Bethlehem co-operation. I have never been associated with a group of men whose ideas of real co-operation were as pronounced as those of the Bethlehem organization. Their co-operation is real, and makes itself felt in almost every angle of the business. The factory officials seem to take as much interest in my success as I do. Their help has been an inspiration and there is real satisfaction in knowing that I am selling a good product in the Bethlehem truck and furthermore that it is sold at a fair price.

It is my appreciation of the Bethlehem truck, the fair and business-building policy back of it, and to thank the Bethlehem officials for their \$9\$ kind assistance that I have used this space.

W. O. CRABTREE

New York's success is an indication of Bethlehem Dealer Prosperity the country over. And every Bethlehem Franchise carries Bethlehem cooperation. Your plans, plus ours, may start another prosperous Bethlehem Business. Write today for information about your territory. Bethlehem Trucks are made in the following models:

1½ Ton Chassis

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\$1965

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BETHLEHEM MOTORS CORPORATION

ALLENTOWN, PA.

# The Champions





Mr. Ben Davis, 5 times champion, again won the annual Wheatland Plowing Match this year, but in a new class. His previous championships have been won with horses. This year he won with the Moline-Universal Tractor.

Why did he select the Moline-Universal Tractor and why did he win?

Like all good plowmen, Mr. Davis likes to sit on the seat of his plow, so he can adjust it to meet all varying soil conditions instantly and do a good job of plowing. At any time he could stop and back up with the Moline-Universal as easily as he could go forward. And the Moline-Universal has the power to plow right along in the even tenor of its way in tough places as well as in the easy going—122 percent reserve power at Salina, Kansas, in 1918 and 108 percent reserve power at Columbus, Ohio, in 1919.

Mr. Davis is a great plowman and the Moline-Universal Tractor is a great Tractor. They made an unbeatable combination. That's why they won.

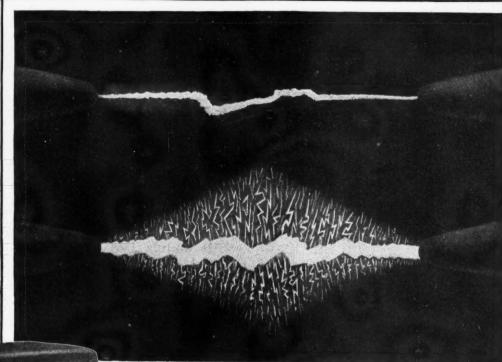
And Mr. Davis has a tractor in the Moline-Universal which he can use from one year's end to the next—for all field work including cultivating—and plenty of power for belt work.

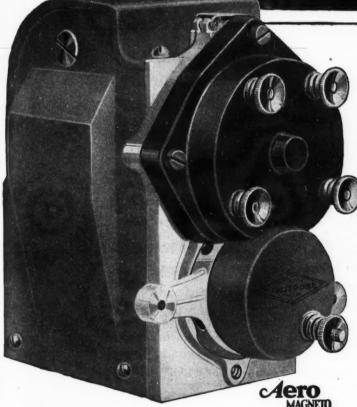
### MOLINE PLOW CO.

Moline, Ill.

The Battery Spark is lean

The Magneto Spark is fat





THIS diagrammatic drawing showing the difference between battery and magneto sparks is conclusive evidence of the superiority of Magneto ignition.

In official U. S. Government tests (A. P. P. report No. 13) the Splitdorf Magneto showed more than three times the spark heat shown by battery ignition. Oscillographic investigations also show the magneto sparks having much longer duration than battery sparks.

SPELECTRICAL Co., Newark, N.J. Sumter Division, 1466 Michigan Ave. Chicago



Manufacturers of AERO, SUMTER and DIXIE Magnetos, Oscillating Magnetos and Impulse Starters





# What's Wanted in Tires

Many things are offered in tires—"exclusive features", "extra" this and that, etc.—but the thing that is most wanted by users is **mileage.** 

"Mileage first" is the thing that is uppermost in the minds of the men who build Quaker Tires. To put the limit of mileage in and keep trouble out of Quaker Tires are the objects sought from the selection of crude materials to the finishing of the tires.



Claims cannot put mileage into tires, but the kinds of materials put in Quaker Tires and the way the materials are put in result in getting mileage out.

The best argument for Quaker Tires is a Quaker Tire.

Put a Quaker to the service test on your car and be convinced.

QUAKER MULTI-TUBES are laminated tubes of the most approved type—not a single piece of material but many sheets of the finest rubber which become a whole in the "curing" process.

Unusual strength and long "life" are distinguishing features of QUAKER MULTI-

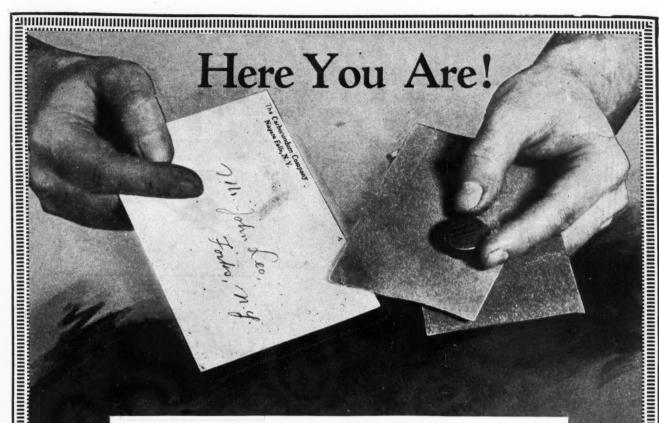
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JUST send us your name and address and back will come an envelope containing a sample can of Carborundum Valve Grinding Compound and two sheets of Aloxite Cloth.

Try the compound on your next valve grinding job. Note how quickly and easily it cuts away the carbon and pit marks. How true, clean and smooth it leaves the valve seat. It cuts remarkably fast without scratching or scoring. It will do your valve grinding and lapping quicker, better, easier.

Try the sample sheets of Aloxite Cloth on any shop work. It cuts clean and quick, leaving a smooth, uniform finish. It is wonderfully flexible and is uniformly coated with Aloxite grains.

Your accessory jobber or hardware man carries both these products—the compound in handy combination cans or one or five-pound tins—the Aloxite Cloth in rolls, sheets, or better still, in Economy Rolls.

But Be Sure You Send for the Samples

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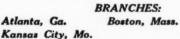
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he right spring—
(VULCAN) in the right place— (your store) at the right time—
(when needed) assuring the right profit-(to you) and the right service-(to your customer).





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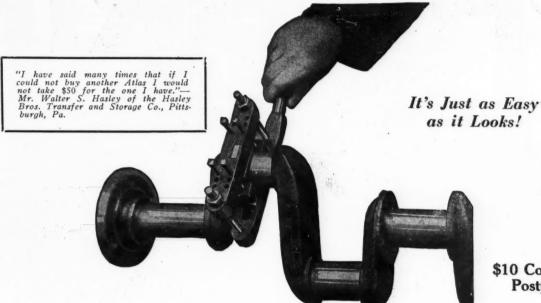
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# Do Your Own Crankshaft Grinding

Your First Job Pays for an Atlas Abrasive Tool No Expense—No Experience—No Equipment



\$10 Complete Postpaid

Experience has taught you to "lay off" scraping bearings to crank pins, pounded out of round.

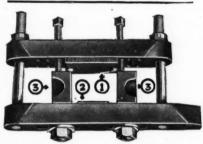
It's high time, however, to exercise your own cash register with some of those \$10 to \$25 crankshaft grinding profits.

The hand tool for crankshaft grinding eliminates the machine shop, the lathe or grinder, the cost of experienced operators and the days or weeks of delay.

The Atlas Abrasive Tool is the least expensive of all hand tools. It costs only one-fifth to one-tenth of other crankshaft grinding tools.

It is the most convenient of all for by merely dropping the bottom of the crank case, you can work right under the car with an Atlas.

Its work is accurate to onethousandth of an inch-better than any machine shop will guarantee with a lathe.



1-Hardened and tempered steel cutter. Cuts in one direction only.

2-Bronze track bearing. Cannot cut ring in pin-like hard steel nor freeze against pin from excess friction like soft steel.

3-Adjustable Abutment blocks ease up against crank pin holding cutter and track in proper working It works quickly. Within an hour it completes an entire crankshaft.

Made in only one size because it adjusts itself easily to fit any crank pin up to 21/2 in. diameter-large enough for all passenger cars and trucks.

The quick, easy, simple, convenient and inexpensive way to grind crankshafts, as adopted by hundreds of garages and repair shops, is with the Atlas Abrasive Tool.

Its price, complete, postpaid, is only \$10. Extra cutters (including extra track bearings) good for truing up from ten to twenty pins or bearings, cost 30 cents each, postpaid.

Wire your order today. Money back; but you won't ask for it.

ATLAS MANUFACTURING CO., North Canal St., Pittsburgh, Pa.



# Sol Barbarino Says Philbrin Ignition Made His Peugeot the Fastest Race Car of its Size in the World

—And N. D. Sturgis Gets 16 1-4 Miles to the Gallon of Gas on His Hudson Touring Limousine

ANEW chapter has been added to ignition history by the invention of the Philbrin condenser and contact maker. Users of Philbrin Ignition are recording achievements in economy, speed, flexibility, acceleration and an all-around improvement in engine performance that they had never thought possible.

On July 28, after a race at Sheepshead Bay, Sol Barbarino sent the following telegram to the Philips-Brinton Co.: "Driving my Baby Peugeot equipped with Philbrin Ignition in match race with another Peugeot equipped with magneto, won as I pleased. Philbrin Duplex Ignition has made my Peugeot the fastest race car of its size in the world."

His competitor, Ira Vail, was so greatly impressed by this performance that he decided to install Philbrin on his cars. After a thorough test on an Essex, he wrote the company as follows: "I have driven this car over 1,200 miles without trouble of any kind. I find the car is faster, starts easier, and throttles much lower than

before. I am using at least 20% less gasoline and am so well pleased that I have asked Mr. Stringer to equip my Duesenberg race car and also my 75 H.P. Mercedes touring car with Philbrin Duplex Ignition."

In his letter of August 7, N. D. Sturges, President of the Multiple Storage Battery Co., states that since installing a Philbrin System his Hudson Touring Limousine "has run, under varying conditions of open road and traffic in and around New York, on an average of 16¼ miles to the gallon. This is a remarkable performance for a car as heavy as mine. The car has everything in the way of speed, power and acceleration that can be desired, and I cannot endorse too strongly all the claims you make for Philbrin Ignition."

Philbrin can be installed in place of any ignition system you are now using. Write for descriptive literature.

### PHILIPS-BRINTON COMPANY

505 South Broad St.,

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For Profit and Performance

United Spark Plugs are big sellers.

They are *good* plugs—best heat-treated porcelain, unusually accurate machining and careful inspection give United Spark Plugs the stamina to fire a sure, explosive spark into the heart of the mixture, *all of the time*.

As soon as you show customers a United Spark Plug a sale is made — concentrate on United.

United Spark Plugs are repeaters—Spark Plugs for Profit and Performance—and you make a liberal profit on each sale.

Look in the Chilton Automobile Directory and Auto Trade Directory for List of Jobbers handling United Spark Plugs.

Ask your Jobber for the Plug in the Yellow Checkerboard Box

RETAIL PRICE

Heavy Duty
(for trucks and tractors)
\$1.00

Junior Type (for Passenger Cars) 75c

United Manufacturing & Distributing Co.

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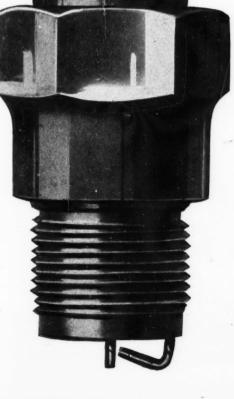
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Every mechanic who ever replaced a piston in a cylinder will recognize the value of this tool. On Ford engine jobs alone the time of inserting pistons is reduced to a small fraction of the time required by the old method.

The above illustrations tell the whole story. Figure it out for yourself and see if you can afford to be without this handy, time saving economical tool. Place the UNIVERSAL PISTON INSERTER on top of the cylinder, push the piston through and the job's done (the rings are automatically compressed by the t pered shape of the tool). No injury to piston or rings. Can be used for inserting oversize istons.

### SEND THE COUPON

Get this tool at once. You need it in your slop. Made for any bore. State size when ordering or just say "For Fords." This is but one of a line of worth-while products which we will soon be manufacturing for you.

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Send me ..... Universal Piston Inserters..... following sizes:

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# CUSHION Roughness Out & Roads

# Save Trucks and Trucking Costs

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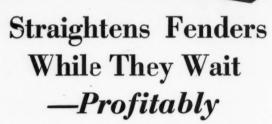
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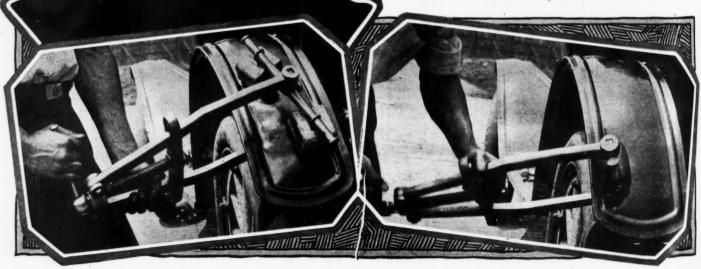
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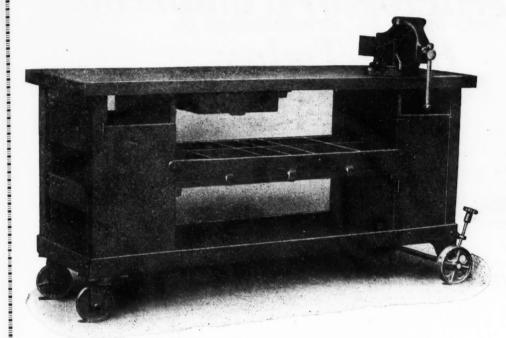
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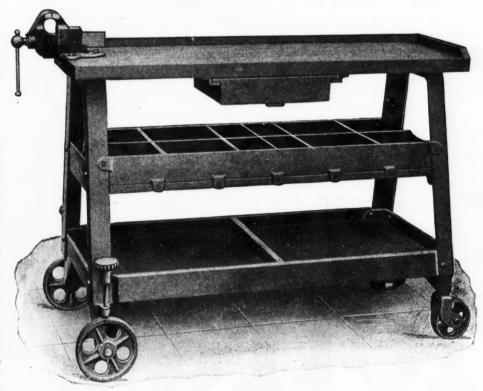
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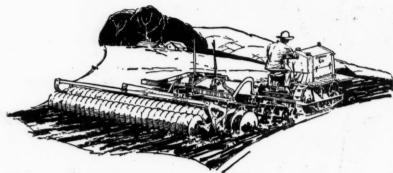
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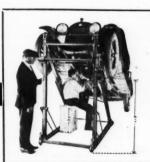
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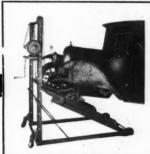
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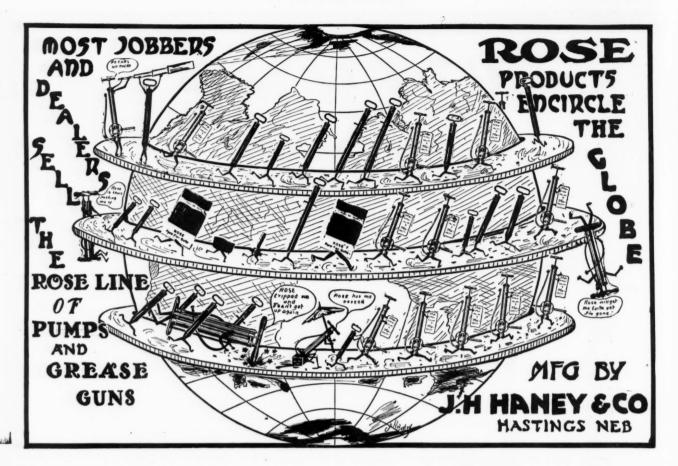
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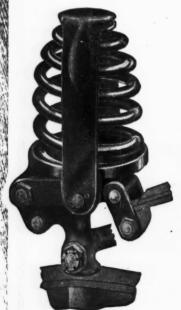


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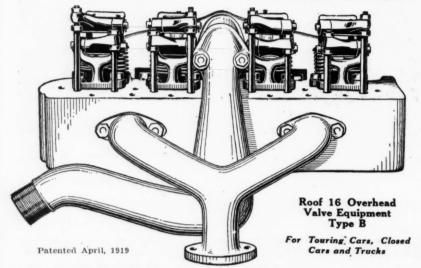
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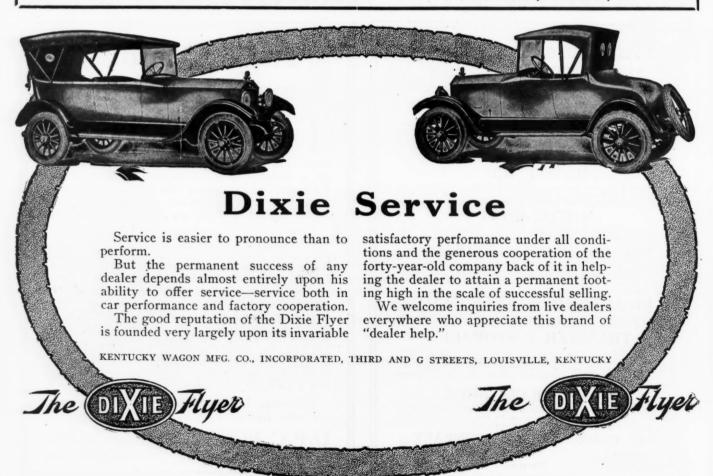
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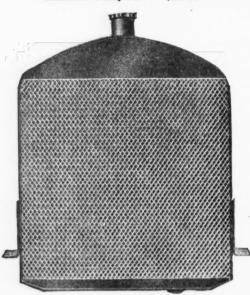


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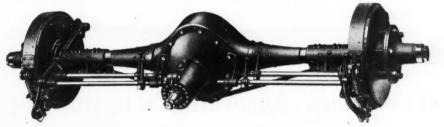
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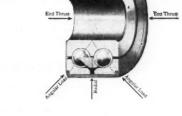
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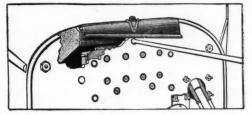
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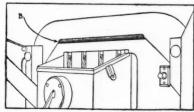


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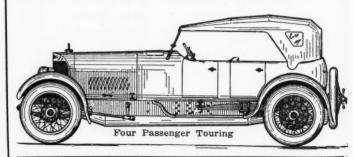
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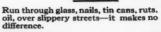
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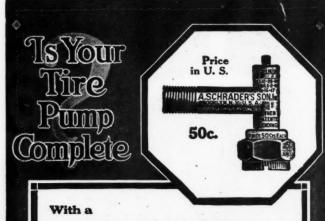


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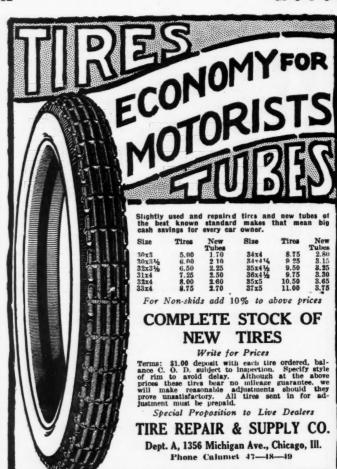
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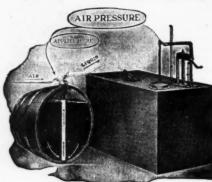
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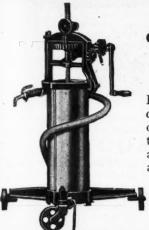
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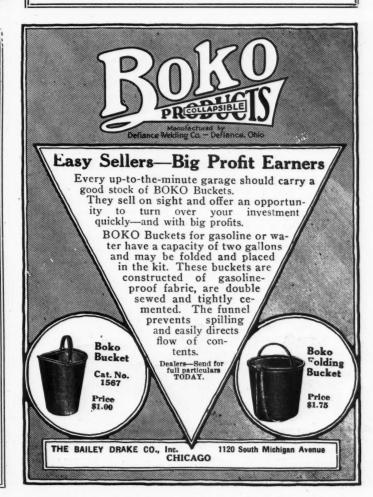
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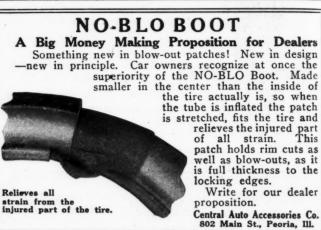
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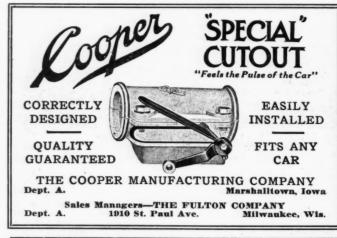






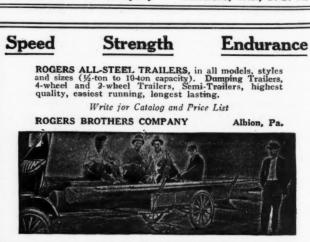












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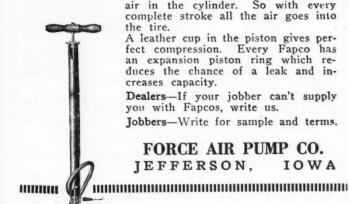
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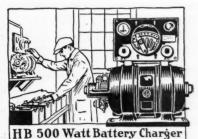
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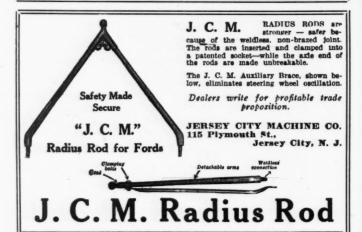
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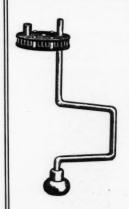
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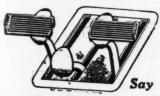
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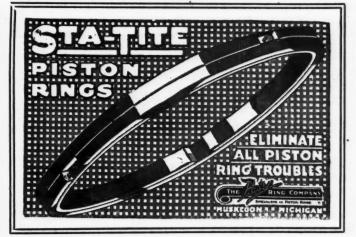
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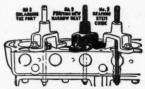
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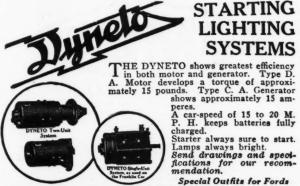


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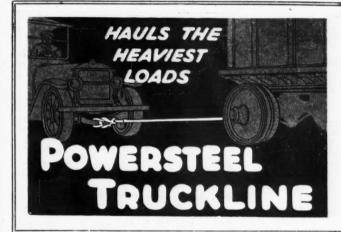
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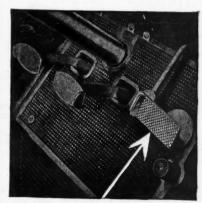


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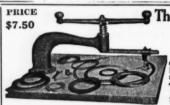
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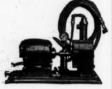


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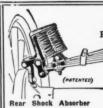
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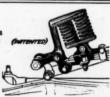
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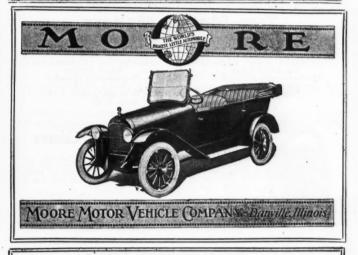
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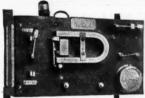
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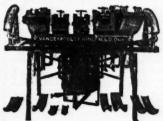
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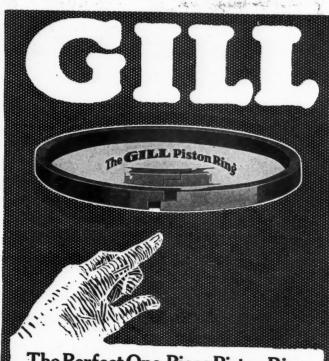
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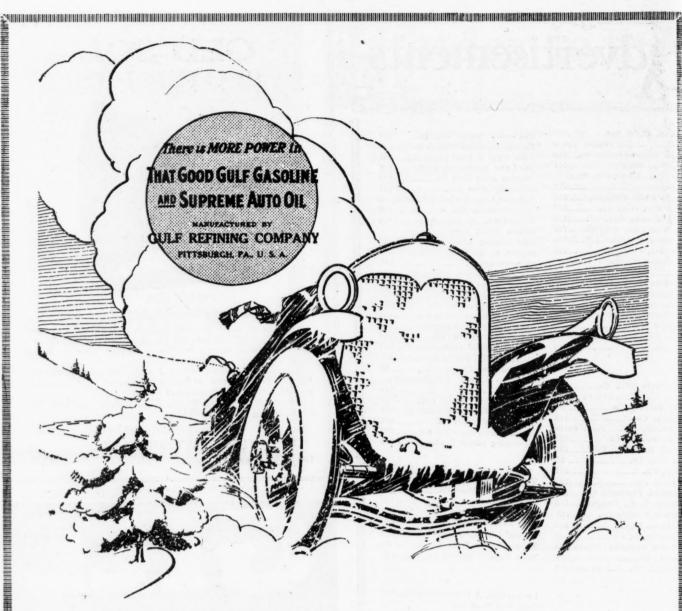


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